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FIRST SNOWFALL OF SEASON FALLS TUESDAY NIGHT

The first snowfall of the season covered McKinney with a beautiful white mantle late Tuesday evening. Although the recent severe cold spell was subsiding and the thermometer on an upward trend, the snow, as above stated, the first of the season, gave a real wintry appearance.

The snow started falling about 6:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and lasted for fully two hours. Later a misty rain started falling, encrusting the snow with a glaze. However, the snow was melting fast underneath.

The thermometer was near freezing during most of the snowfall, standing at 35 degrees at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday. At 7:00 a. m. Wednesday, it was down to 33 degrees.

The snowfall gave McKinney its most beautiful setting of the season, thoroughly covering trees, housetops and fields and making of the city a veritable icy fairyland created by the Snow King's magic wand. The children, of course, were the happiest.

For awhile, the melting snow on downtown streets made driving rather difficult, but local automobile owners for the most part soon accustomed themselves to the conditions.

FOURTH WEEK OF CRIMINAL CASES IS IN PROGRESS

Only one case was tried in Fifty-Ninth District court Monday, presided over by Judge F. E. Wilcox here Monday, the first day of the fourth criminal jury week of the term. The case was that of the State of Texas vs. Aaron Edward Stovall Jr., charged with driving while intoxicated. Stovall pleaded guilty and was given a year's suspended sentence and prohibited from driving a car for ten days.

One case called Tuesday morning, the case of the State of Texas vs. Leslie Homer Myrick, charged with arson. The State will be represented in this case by County Attorney W. Clarence Dowdy, assisted by Leon O. Moses, assistant county attorney, while the defendant will be represented by the law firm of Truett, Abernathy and Wolford.

The jury list for the week follows:

W. B. Hawkins.
H. B. Higginbotham.
J. T. Grisham.
M. L. Pittman.
J. S. Dodson.
F. A. Holman.
W. C. Leach.
J. F. Bone.
Elmer Lawson.
Gabe Kerby.
Joe Mallow.
J. D. Bickley.
Olney Carpenter.
J. F. Wallace.
Amos Scribner.
J. R. McMenamy.
H. M. Pruett.
W. T. Morgan.
Clay Riggins.
H. G. McLarry.
J. G. Godwin.
John D. Brent.
Avner Cox.
J. J. McLain.
George W. Jones.
Clarence Cox.

Mrs. G. B. Rose of Little Elm, mother of Mrs. J. M. Mallow of Frisco, observed her eightieth birthday, February 14, at her home. A delightful dinner was enjoyed by a large number of relatives and friends, after which pioneer days in Texas were discussed.

Today's McKinney Markets

Wednesday, February 28, 1934.

Cotton, 12.00 to 12.50 cents per lb.
Oats, 40 cents per bu.
Wheat, 90 cents per bu.
Chops, $1.45.
Johnson Grass hay, $8.00 per ton.
Millet, $10.00 per ton.
Alfalfa hay, $15.00 per ton.
Corn, 75 cents per bu.
Prairie hay, $10.00 per ton.
Bran, $1.00 per cwt.
Shorts, $1.50 per cwt.
Eggs, 15 cents per doz.
Fryers, 15 cents per lb.
Light Hens, 6 cents per lb.
Heavy Hens, 8 cents per lb.
Butter, 15 cents per lb.
Beef on hoof, $1.50 per cwt.

Weather

Temperature.

55 degrees at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday.
33 degrees at 7:00 a. m. Wednesday.
34 degrees at 11:30 a. m. Wednesday.

EXPECT 30 TEAMS TO ENTER CLASS C BALL LEAGUE

Approximately thirty teams are expected to enter the Collin county Class C High School Baseball League. They are expected to have representatives at a meeting Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock when the final meeting for organization of the league will be held in the County Superintendent's office, here.

The six teams already in the league will jump the gun and begin play Friday afternoon, March 3. They are:

Verona vs. Wilson.
Higgins vs. Climax.
Lucas vs. Lovejoy.

Other teams expected to enter include: Lone Star, Routh, Valdasta, Bush, Rowlett, Desert, Warden, Arnold, Alla Hubbard, Bloomdale, Rhea Mills, Brushy, Cottage Hill, Moreland, Kelley, Mesquite, Franklin, Renner, Parker, Dixon, Oak Grove and Altoga.

Collin Man For County Judge of Dallas County

JOHN D. COFFMAN

Attorney John D. Coffman of Dallas, native of Collin county, has announced for county judge of Dallas county, Court of Law No. 1. All of Mr. Coffman's many friends in Collin county are hoping that he will be elected.

Hon. Maury Hughes, candidate for governor, was in McKinney a short while Wednesday. This editor had the pleasure of shaking his friendly hand. Mr. Hughes states that he is receiving much encouragement from all sections of Texas in his race for governor. He says that he will not become active in the campaign until later, at which time he expects to make an extensive canvass in all sections of the state.

BIG M'KINNEY SEED STORE ADVERTISING

The Collin County Seed company, owned and operated by C. E. Melton and Clint Walters, are using our advertising columns to advertise their splendid line of all garden, truck and farm seeds. Their ad in this paper made the following interesting statement:

Made valuable contribution to the agricultural wealth of this county.

They were the first to introduce the famous onion plant into our county.

They were the first to sell Darso, Hegari, Sweet Clover, Lespedeza and the Certified Irish potato.

They also introduced a long list of beans, peas, and new vegetables best adapted to our black land conditions.

They are ever on the lookout for new plants that might prove valuable in our agricultural improvement.

When in need of seed of any kind it will pay you to visit them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Von Ray McClure, all of Clyde, Texas, and O. D. McClure of Abilene are in McKinney attending the bedside of their father, R. L. McClure, who died Tuesday morning at his home on North Church street. While here Bill McClure came by this office to order the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the ensuing year. He is well-known here having formerly been connected with Pratts Bros. grocery store.

The Sherman Democrat states that Col. C. B. Randall of Sherman has filed suit for damages in the sum of $15,000 against C. [illegible] Mayfield and Paul B. Wood, doing business by the Wood Motor Co., alleging an auto injured when an awning fell on him Saturday.

TOTAL OF 2,293 PUPILS ENROLLED IN CITY SCHOOLS

According to figures released Wednesday, the city schools of McKinney, six white and one colored, now boast an enrollment of 2,293 students, one of the largest in the history of local public schools. Prof. Jack R. Ryan, city superintendent of schools; Prof. Lyman D. Robinson, principal of the Boyd High school; Prof. N. C. Smart, principal of the L. A. Scott Junior High school and all other principals and members of the school system expressed themselves as highly gratified with the work done in the city schools during the past six months.

There are now 99 more students enrolled in the McKinney school system than last year at this time, and 37 more than last month of the present term.

Following are the figures on the enrollment of the various schools:

Boyd Senior High school—188 boys, 198 girls; total, 386.

L. A. Scott Junior High school—237 boys, 257 girls; total, 494.

Total high school enrollment—425 boys, 455 girls; total, 880.

J. L. Greer (Ward) school—147 boys, 132 girls; total, 279.

J. H. Hill (Ward) school—154 boys, 151 girls; total, 305.

Fanny Finch (Ward) school—160 boys, 150 girls; total 310.

J. W. Webb (Ward) school—119 boys, 113 girls; total, 232.

Total ward school enrollment—580 boys, 546 girls; total 1126.

White school total enrollment—1,005 boys, 1001 girls; total, 2,006.

Colored school—157 boys, 130 girls; total, 287.

Total enrollment, all city schools—1,162 boys, 1,131 girls; total, 2,293.

Hon. Jess Morris of Greenville, a lay member of the Methodist church, will speak at the Methodist church in Prosper Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, his subject being "An Ideal Layman." Mr. Morris is a pleasing, entertaining and edifying speaker, and the public is cordially invited to go out and hearhim.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ballew and children, Van and Homer Martin and Gayl Ballew, of Dallas, attended the funeral of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. B. F. Hearne, here last Wednesday. Mrs. Ballew was, before her marriage, Miss Helen Hearne, of this city.

Dr. Arita B. Green, local chiropractor was a business visitor in Dallas Thursday.

ONION-EDITOR SMITH BLOWS SWEET BREATH

Marvelous Beloved Smith is the editor and owner of the Farmersville Times. The paper has long been established. One of the best weeklies in Texas. M. B. Smith, the "Head-Knocker," makes a living raising "Sweet Breath Onions" and "Boosting Friendly, Forget-Me Not Farmersville." He is one of the most popular and well-liked editors in all Texas. He is one hundred, plus. Knows a real newspaper when he sees, reads and "looks over one." He read the 50th (Golden) Anniversary issue of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, and in a recent issue of the Times, editorially, says:

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"DIDN'T TURN THEIR HEADS."

"Tom W. Perkins and Walter B. Wilson of McKinney have been enjoying a birthday party among their many friends of the Fourth Estate, celebrating the Fiftieth Anniversary of their splendid Weekly Democrat-Gazette. The members of the press gang have said enough nice things about these McKinney boys to "turn their heads," but neigther of them is susceptible to flattery—and besides, it isn't flattery to say (which we affirm) that the Democrat-Gazette is a darned good sheet—and that its two editors are wide-awake, progressive citizens and altruistic publishers, who take a genuine delight in serving others without renumeration or promise of fee or reward. Congratulations, boys. While these honeyed phrases will not pay the "overhead," they will make smooth many of the rough spots which lie in your path, as you journey onward toward the Pearly Gates. And IF you ever get to Paradise, St. Peter will probably assign you to reserve seats in the great grandstand of the "Third" Heaven," overlooking the battlements of the New Jerusalem, where you can indulge in a sardonic smile as you watch your unappreciative constituents lick their parched lips and cry for water in the lower regions—and here's hoping you both gain admission into the Editorial Exalted—but country editor has hell enough as he meanders through the maze of this insidious sphere."

FRANK KLEPPER'S MURAL UNVEILED AT POSTOFFICE; APPROPRIATE PROGRAM GIVEN IN CITY TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Many artists and friends of Frank Klepper from out of town, as well as of McKinney and other parts of Collin county, attended the unveiling of his mural painting at 3:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, February 27, which he presented to the city.

The event was held under the auspices of the McKinney Art club, Mrs. T. E. Craig, president, in the lobby of the pretty big Federal stone building.

The locale of the painting was the old Tucker hotel, a two-story frame hostelry that stood many years on the northeast corner of the McKinney Public square on the spot now occupied by the Safeway Grocery store. The hotel was the center of the social and civic life of the village during the Civil War period and previously. It was destroyed by fire fifty-nine years ago, but there are a few people still living who remember it. It shows a company of soldiers, preparing to leave for the Confederate front with civilians, men and women, lining the street. It emphasizes the presentation of a Confederate flag by a young woman standing on the balcony of the second story, the flag being presented to the departing home troops.

The painting was placed on the west wall of the lobby in three panels and will be admired by coming generations of our city as well as the present patrons of the McKinney post office.

Frank Klepper, the artist, is a native of Plano, who, for several years, made his home in McKinney before locating in Dallas where his main studio is now located. As before stated he is recognized as one of the celebrated artists of the entire Southwest.

Mrs. Craig gracefully presided and in opening the very interesting occasion, which was witnessed by a capacity crowd in the lobby from which many were turned away, she said.

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Mrs. Craig's Remarks.

"Ladies and Gentlemen:

"It is indeed a delightful occasion which brings us together this afternoon. For twenty years the Art club has endeavored to add its bit to the cultural development of this community. The club deems it a rare privilege and pleasure to serve as sponsor this happy occasion, wherein one of its members ,a native Collin county boy, who has attained eminence as an artist, presents to his home people a splendid specimen of his art."

Mrs. Craig then introduced Judge G. R. Smith, one of our city's most distinguished barristers.

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Presents For Mr. Klepper.

It is not only a pleasure, but I consider it quite an honor to be selected to make the presentation of this creation by its author, Mr. Klepper. In selecting the Post Office, at McKinney, to be the repository of this work of art, he but obeys a natural impulse. He is a native of Collin county and lived and studied at McKinney for a long time and a love for our native land and the home of our childhood and a desire to do something in their interests is an attribute of every normal person. And Mr. Klepper in submerging the ego in passing up places that would better advertise him as an artist, but obeyed the promptings of the artist and his soul in showing a preference for his native home. That love for home is beautifully portrayed by Scott in the "Lay of the Last Minstrel" where he says:

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead
That never to himself hath said.
This is my own, my native land
Whose heart hath ne'er within him burned
As home his footsteps he returned
From wandering on a foreign strand.
If such there be, O mark him well
For him no minstrel raptures swell.
High though his title, proud his name,
Boundless his wealth as wish and claim.
Despite those titles, power and pelf
The wretch concentered all in self,
Living shall forfeit their renown
And doubly dying, shall go down
To the vile dust from which he sprung
Unwept, unhonored and unsung."

It has been an obsession of Mr. Klepper for years to do something in his line for Collin county and McKinney, and he was happy to embrace the act of the government to gratify that obsession.

No one appreciates and loves the rose like one who has watched it bud and saw that bud grow and develop and unfold its petals until the rose became full grown, a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

The people of McKinney and Collin county have, figuratively speaking, watched the budding of the artist in Mr. Klepper. They have watched the petals unfold until now the artist is in full flower, and we are all proud to call him our friend.

It is the province of the true artist to create and not to imitate. The artist who strives to create may become a great artist, but one who contents himself to imitate can never be more than a copyist.

Mr. Klepper early in his career became a creator and if the future bears evidence of that which the present is so rich in promises, it will not be long until his name and fame will be recognized in the entire artistic world.

I have some of his creations in my home. One, his "Gray Dawn," which was one among the first of his creations to receive favorable comment from art critics at an art display. I have another, the "Old Swimming Hole' 'and another "McKinney by Moonlight." When I first acquired these about fifteen years ago, I thought it was an extravagance in a man of my financial means to thus gratify my taste. But, after enjoying these creations during all that time, I find now that it was a good investment, and if I were to commercialize my investment (which I would not consider) that I could realize a substantial profit on the investment, and I may say to all who are fortunate to own one of these beautiful creations that it will not be many years until they will be proud to call the attention of their most distinguished guests to a creation by "Klepper."

To his friends, his neighbors and associates ,he will always be Frank Klepper, but as an artist, henceforth, he will take his place with "Trumbull," "Stewart," Raphael," "Rubens," and other great artists, simply as "Klepper."

We can all congratulate ourselves, and the artists ,that he has the traits of mind and the traits of heart and the hand that can delineate the truths of nature and the truths of God and pour out his soul on canvas.

I have been selected in his name to present to the nation, the state, Collin county, McKinney and their citizens and his friends this creation by "Klepper."

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Postmaster Wallace C. Wilson Accepts.

"Several months ago, I noticed reports in the newspapers that the government was going to furnish funds for the decoration of the interior of public buildings, and I wondered at the time if we would be fortunate enough to get in on this. In a few days after Mr. Klepper came by and looked over the space in this building and told me he was hoping to get the job of painting a mural in this space.

"Not long after, he wrote me a letter stating that if I would give my permission that he would get the job, which I was indeed glad of the opportunity or granting.

"McKinney and Collin county should be very proud of this beautiful painting, it being one of the first of the Government buildings to get one of these decorations. As I look at this painting, depicting a scene which happened so long ago in McKinney, I marvel at the ability of one being able to paint on canvas his idea of this old building and event in the life of our good city.

"Few of us have seen many of the paintings of Mr. Klepper, and this will make us all appreciate him more for his wonderful ability in his chosen profession.

"I feel it a great honor that I, as custodian of this post office building, am privileged to accept this beautiful painting for this great government of ours, and this occasion will always be one of the most pleasant memories that I will have as we go on through life."

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Mayor Largent Accepts For City.

"From the time Edward Bruce suggested to President Rooseveit that some of the Civil Works Administration money should be used to employ artists to secure new works of art for the government; the fine arts plan has proceeded with unusual activity.

"Murals were used in the olden days for educational purposes as well as to beautify, walls in public buildings throughout the country have yielded to the decorator's hand depicting historical events. From now on the word mural will not have an unfamiliar ring in the ears of the public.

"I think it very fitting that McKinney's mural should be painted by our own Mr. Klepper, a young man who was reared and educated in our city and county —a young man who has climber to the top over rocky roads and difficulties but never let success dim his loyalty for his home town.

"The people of this city treasure as sacred memories the heroic deeds during the Civil War of the pioneers of this county. I have often heard my father speak of the important meetings held in the Tucker hotel and I feel

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COLORED SINGERS GIVE DELIGHTFUL PROGRAM HERE

A good-sized congregation heard a group of colored singers from the Jarvis Christian college for the colored, of Hawkins, Texas, give a rendition of colored spirituals and folk songs at the First Christian church here Tuesday evening, the pastor, Dr. C. S. Weaver, presiding over the program.

Other highlights in the program included a talk by Dr. L. N. D. Wells, pastor of the East Dallas Christian church; and Kleiber Lipscomb, president of the Tennessee Dairies, a member of that church and also a member of the Jarvis college board of trustees which includes twenty-four white men and women.

In his talk, Mr. Lipscomb stated that during its twenty-one year history Jarvis college had the record of never having had a student, who had spent one semester in that college, being hailed into court for any offense.

The young colored people sang their songs as only members of their case can do, much to the enjoyment of all those present.

McKinney Men At Greenville For Hughston

A party of McKinney citizens, including Ed Blakeman, chairman of the Collin County Democratic Executive committee and former Sheriff; Hon. Jewel Abernathy, former County Attorney, Hon. Roland Boyd, McKinney attorney and Walter B. Wilson of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette, were in Greenville Friday in the interest of Wallace Hughston's candidacy for State Senator from this district. Mr. Hughston is a prominent attorney and is well-known throughout this section of the state.

Mr. Hughston is now in Washington attending a National meeting of the Masonic grand masters.

ADDITIONAL COTTON CHECKS ARE RECEIVED

A total of forty-five additional Cotton Option Pool Agreement checks from the Federal government, for participating in the reduction program, were received by County Agent Jack P. McCullough at his office here Wednesday. Agent McCullough is urging every farmer, notified of the receipt of his check, to come in immediately and claim same. The group of checks totals $6,606.40, and brings their total number to 1,252 thus far received, out of a total of 1,303, amounting to $168,-002.26. There is approximately 51 more checks worth about $5,000 yet to be received.

Agent McCullough states that those farmers, not desiring to enter the pool agreement, but who did take option cotton, have received a total of $150,865.14, bringing the total benefits to Collin cotton growers from the government for the 1933 cotton plow-up and option compaign to approximately $1,615,788.64.

There were 4,200 farmers in this county signing to reduce their cotton in 1933. A total of 2500 took the option plan, 1303 of whom wanted the option pool agreement plan, a subdivision of the option plan.

Leon Eubanks Takes Examination At Annapolis

Leon Eubanks, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hardy Eubanks, has arrived home from Annapolis, Maryland, where he was recently appointed by Congressman Sam Rayburn to the United State Naval Academy. Leon has been studying, preparing himself for final examination, taking the exam on his Annapolis visit.

Roy Heathington of the Underwood Chevrolet Co. of McKinney sold Mr. Eubanks a new 1934 Chevrolet car, Leon going to Flint, Michigan, to get his new car, driving it home.

The distance from Flint, Michigan, to McKinney, was 1228 miles. Leon used only fifty-five gallons of gasoline, which figured a fraction over twenty-two miles to the gallon. This being a new car, Mr. Heathington was much pleased with the record made.

Leon was happy, of course, to get home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDonald and attractive little daughter, Ann, spent Sunday in Sherman guests of Mr. McDonald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald.

Dr. W. S. Wysong And Wife Attend Medical Meet

Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Wysong returned Friday evening from Oklahoma City where they attended a three-day convention of doctors and surgeons. The convention was known as the College of Surgeons, at which more than five hundred doctors from this district, which includes Texas, Oklahoma and several other states. About a hundred hospitals of the district were represented, including the McKinney City hospital, represented by Miss R. C. McLeod. Miss McLeod's work was highly recommended and the McKinney City hospital recognized as one of the most modern and well equipped in the district.

Dr. Wysong was delighted with the meeting, at which the latest and most modern methods were introduced by moving pictures and other devices. The medical men and their ladies were also given many courtesies including receptions, banquets and luncheons.

FUNERAL HELD THURSDAY FOR MRS. WHEATLEY

Largely attended funeral services for the late Mrs. Kate Wheatley, were held at the North Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, assisted by Rev. J. Ben Snider. Burial was made in McLarry cemetery, four miles northwest of the city, beside the grave of her late husband, former District Clerk A. S. (Matt) Wheatley, who died here October 16, 1932. Active pallbearers were: Lloyd Davis, H. S. Ware, A. L. Drain, W. M. Burgess, Leonard Ray and A. J. Smith.

The deceased was a native of this county, being born March 13, 1869, the daughter of the late Capt. Frank M. Hunn and wife, pioneer Collin residents, who lived about four miles northwest of McKinney. She was married Nov. 25, 1890, to Alex Scott Wheatley, who preceded her in death. She is survived by two sons and three daughters, as follows: Frank Wheatley ,McKinney insurance man; Weldon Wheatley, employe of Allen's market; Mrs. A. C. Watson of Greenville; Mrs. Elmo Cloyd of McKinney, and Mrs. Jim Foy of Petersburg, Texas. Three children preceded her in death as follows: Carl Wheatley, who died in 1919; Mary Etta Wheatley, who died in infancy and Willie Belle, who died at the age of eleven years. Several grandchildren also survive.

The deceased was active in the North Baptist church, being faithful in attendance. She was admired by many friends for her sweet Christian character and her passing is being mourned by a host of friends and loved ones. Her bier was covered with a profusion of beautiful floral offerings, which bore mute testimonials to the high respect in which she was held, which were sent by admiring friends of the deceased and her loved ones.

M'KINNEY D. G. CO. MAKES EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS

H. W. HENLEY, MANAGER, USES OUR ADVERTISING COLUMNS

The McKinney Dry Goods company, H. W. Henley, Manager, is making extensive improvements on the interior of their large store, on the east side of the square.

The millinery and ladies ready-to-wear department is being moved to the main floor, the entire balcony to be used for the business, wrapping and cashier's office.

The stairway leading to the balcony is being moved to the south of the large building, giving more room to the lower floor.

The entire lower floor is being "done over," more shelving added, and the entire store re-arranged.

Carpenters, painters and workmen are busy, and it will take several days to put the large building in readiness for the reception, so Mr. Henley, Manager, states, for the new and large stock of spring goods in each department, which he hopes to have on hand by March 1.

Mr. Henley, the new Manager, tells us that he was well pleased with the active response which he received from advertising in the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. He says in a few days that he will have a wonderful new stock of spring goods, which he will solicit the thousands of readers of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to come in and inspect.

NORTH COLLIN LADY BURIED SUNDAY, FEB. 18

Mrs. Lula Bales Thorn passed away Saturday, February 17, 1934, after several months illness in the Maple community in North Collin.

She was born in the state of Georgia, July 5, 1872. She was married to B. F. Thorn Sept. 8, 1896. To this union seven children were born. Six children survive her going, with her husband and eight grandchildren. The children are: Homer Bryan Thorn and Vergil Thorn of Dallas; Vernon Thorn at home; Mrs. Corra Lois Puckett of Dallas; Mrs. Willie Ethel Webb of Van Alstyne and Mrs. Gladys Alma Biggs of the Maple community.

She was converted in Baxter county, Ark., when fifteen years of age and united with the Methodist church, living a consecrated Christian life until her death, being a member of the Maple Methodist church since moving to that community about seventeen years ago.

Funeral services were conducted at the home Sunday afternoon, Feb. 18, by her pastor, Rev. A. R. Morgan with burial in the Forbis cemetery. Sam Pafford undertaker of Celina had charge of funeral arrangements. Pall bearers were: Ira Miller, Charlie Templin, Earl Forbis, G. W. Munger, Ted Morris and Coyte Ashley. A host of friends braved the inclement weather to pay their last respects to one whose quiet but beautiful Christian life had inspired them.

A precious one from us has flown,
A voice we loved is stilled.
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
God in His wisdom hath recalled
The boon his love had given,
And though the body slumbers here,
The soul is safe in Heaven.

WALLACE HUGHSTON CONVENES HIGHEST MASONIC GROUP

Judge Wallace Hughston of McKinney attended the Grand-master's Conference of the United States, at Washington, D. C., this week. He served as Chairman of the Conference during the past year. That honor gave him the privilege of convening this year's annual session, stating its object and presiding until his successor was elected.

Among the prominent Texas Masons attending in addition to Judge Hughston are W. Steve Cooke of Fort Worth, grand master of the Texas Masonic lodge; Hirnm Lively, Dallas; William Fly, Gonzales, Tex.; W. P. Pearson, Waco; Wilbur Keith, Dallas; Marcus Weathered, Coleman, Tex. and John H. Cooker, Houston.

Fifty farmers of the Celina community have wired Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace, stating that they believe that some form of compulsory cotton acreage reduction should be adopted as a national program.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(February 27, 1909.)

L. L. Edwards, interurban conductor, is taking a few days off duty on account of illness.

Mrs. H. E. G. Furr and daughter, Miss Blanche, are visiting friends in Dallas.

Frank Matthews is here from Sulphur Springs, greeting his many friends on our streets.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crutcher, an esteemed old couple of the Bowlby community, were welcome callers at our office today.

George Hipp attended a Washingthon birthday party at the home of Mrs. McLennen, at Melissa, last night.

Miss Mattie Lou McKinney and brother, Garnett ,are in Dallas today to see "The Man of the Hour" at the Dallas Opera House.

Taps sounded this forenoon for an old Confederate veteran, John McKinney, an old settler, living in the Upper Rowlett community, about eight miles west of McKinney. He was born, May 11, 1832, in Pennsylvania, and was nearly 77 years old. He married Miss Mollie Fox, a twin sister of Mrs. J. C. Moore, of this city, and a sister of ex-County Commissioner Sam H. Fox. Burial will be in the Rowlett Creek cemetery tomorrow.

YOUR HOME TOWN

SEEN HERE AND THERE.

That was a beautiful scene in our home town Tuesday night, following the snow, which fell some two hours beginning about 6 p. m.; it was the season's first fall of snowflakes and was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone; lights about town, casting their beams on the snow-covered trees, house tops and countryside, presented a panorama that will long be remembered . . . Dr. R. L. Cowan and T. E. Craig, meeting at our office, holding a conversation . . . Glad to see our friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. Weisman, back home again . . . So this is the last day of February; tomorrow brings us the first day of March, that windy month; however, the third month of the year may also bring us more wintry weather . . . Miss Nora Mae Berry, who has oodles of friends, pays us a welcome visit . . . Judge G. G. Smith comes by for a welcome call . . . Have you seen the beautiful Klepper mural, presented to our city, down at the post office? . . . Blaine Smith, jovial as ever, enjoying the refreshing morning air . . . On Thanksgiving day, last fall, a well-known Collin woman asked her husband to bring home a box of toothpicks with an order of groceries that he was to purchase in McKinney; he forgot the toothpicks that day, as well as on subsequent visits; time went on—until on Christmas day, in the exchange of gifts, the husband handed the package of toothpicks to his wife, and said in a serious tone, "Here's your Christmas present!" . . . Who is the officer who while driving hurriedly along North Kentucky street, south of the interurban office, suddenly turned down the alley when a big black cat crossed his path; friends as well as the officer, are getting a big laugh over the episode; yes, he's superstitious, but aren't we all? . . . Competition promises to be keen in that newly-organized Class C High School Baseball League for this county.

HIGHLANDERS CRIPPLED

The News continues:

"In justice to Coach Harry Lanier of the Highlander quint it might be pointed out that his team practically was wrecked by a last minute edict Friday ruling two of his regular ineligible on scholastic counts. The players were Sonny Emery and Arthur (Little Coke) Wimmer. Lanier had no time in which to revamp his team and, under the circumstances, did as well as could be expected in gaining the finals. The McKinney victory was widely expected inasmuch as the invading Lions were the class of the field after eliminating Dallas Tech in the first round, 29 to 27. The Lions, a fine looking crew, had a height advantage over all opposition uncovered some of the best-looking cage material seen here this season. All local coaches agreed the Collin boys should go far in the state race."

PROJECTS APPROVED.

Announcement of the letting of the contract for those two Collin county good roads projects, as announced in Friday's Daily Courier-Gazette, should prove welcome news to every citizen of the city and county. The two projects include a new highway from the courthouse, over Tennessee street, south to the city limits, where it will join with a new highway south to the Dallas county line. City and county officials and other interested persons have spent much time from their offices making trips to Austin, Fort Worth and other cities, interviewing the highway commission and others in an endeavor to get these projects approved. We feel that a mention here should be made of some of those public-spirited citizens who have given liberally of their time to this cause. County Judge J. Frank Harrington and each member of the County Commissioners Court; Mayor Joe E. Largent and the City Commission, and A. H. Eubanks, chairman of the highway committee of the local Chamber of Commerce, and other members of that committee—all these, and others, are deserving of our unstinted praise in getting the approval of these projects, on which they have worked so faithfully.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Weisman have returned from a several weeks' visit to their daughters in Memphis, Tennessee, and Little Rock, Arkansas, to the delight of their many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Manning and children of Dallas came up to McKinney to attend the obsequies of Mrs. B. P. Hearne here last Wednesday. Mrs. Manning was Miss Jo Hearne of this city before her marriage.

Mrs. Wallace C. Wilson, wife of Postmaster Wilson, continues ill at her home on Lamar street. Her friends hope she will soon be improved.

Mr. J. (Verne) Graves, Mrs. Maggie Massie, Mrs. Lewis Graves, Mrs. B. Stanton and Forest O. Wood attended the McKinney high school games in the district meet at Dallas Friday.

KLEPPER'S MURAL

(Continued from Page One.)

that this reproduction is a very appropriate one and I thereby accept for and on behalf of the City of McKinney this beautiful mural and express to Mr. Klepper and to our government the appreciation of the people of McKinney and my own personal gratitude for this magnificent creation of art."

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County Judge Accepts.

Mrs. Craig called on Judge J. Frank Harrington of this city to accept the mural on behalf of the county. He responded in a splendid manner. Judge Harrington has known Mr. Klepper practically his entire life and praised the artist for his rare genius and ability to put on canvass, as he had done on this occasion, epics in the history of our town. Judge Harrington stated that this occasion should inspire patriotism in those who are to come after us for all time.

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Mrs. Garnett's Acceptance.

Mrs. M. H. Garnett, patrons of fine arts, a native of this county and versed in the history of its early days, responded for the citizens, with the following interesting bit of pioneer history.

"From the earliest days of civilization monuments have been erected by a grateful people to commemorate the deeds of their heroes gone before. Not only as an expression of their love and gratitude have these memorials been created, but that they might serve as object lessons to the generations which follow, inspiring them to emulate those qualities of mind and heart, which, in all ages, have made men heroic.

"This is a happy day for McKinney for we are here to celebrate such an event—to accept and express our grateful thanks for this wonderful mural painting, conceived and executed by one whose career we have watched with ever increasing interest, and whom we have long been proud to claim as our own native artist, but we treasure it even more, as an evidence of his love and loyalty to his own home town.

"For many years, since soon after the erection of this building, he has held it in his heart to bestow this munificent gift upon us, and now the generosity of our national government through its Civil Works program, has made it possible for him to realize this dream. To it, also, as co-worker, do we acknowledge our obligation. Mr. Klepper might have placed this gift in a larger city where it would have been more widely seen and added greatly to his fame. That he chose to give to us this work of his great genius fills the hearts of our citizens with joy and pride.

"The subject of this masterly painting is a local historical scene of the pioneer days of McKinney. It makes that notable day when the body of our chivalric Texas hero Gen. Ben McCullough, killed in the battle of Pea Ridge, Ark., March 7, 1862, was brought through McKinney on the way to its burial at his South Texas home. It rested here in state for a time at the old Tucker hotel that our citizens might do him homage and mingle their praise and their tears at this, the bier of their fallen hero.

"At the same time a flag was presented to our outgoing company of the Confederacy. What memories this brings of the saddest epoch in our country's history. To that small and gallant band remaining, memories of loved ones, of years of stress and privation and trial; of hardships and suffering such as have rarely been borne by any body of men. And all this was met by such high courage and bravery, such patriotism and devotion and endurance, as had never before adorned the pages of history.

"Two generations have been born and grown up since these events. But with such examples of these as their heritage, no wonder that the deeds of our American boys in the World War days have stirred the civilized globe.

"Being myself a native of McKinney, a daughter of the South and one whose father, Col. Joe M. Founds, of the Eleventh Texas Calvary, led the first company from McKinney to the Civil War and gave his life to its cause, it is a great pleasure to me to be privileged to convey to Mr. Klepper the thanks and gratitude of our citizens for this enduring tribute.

"It is peculiarly appropriate too, that he should be the author of this treasured gift, for in his veins flows the blood of those grand pioneers who, through many vicissitudes, have made for us the wonderful country. May the story of their glory as so beautifully set forth in this scene, inspire our posterity to emulate the high ideals of patriotism, of duty and service, which characterize the lives of these, our heroes; thus making immortal among us, not only the influence, but also the name and the fame of our native artist—Frank Klepper.

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Mrs. Whitey Speaks.

"Fortunate is the person, who has been educated to the perception of beauty. He possesses a heritage which nothing can rob him of. There is no doubt in the future, that beauty will play an infinitely greater part in civilized life than ever before. Perhaps this is another reason our government has become aroused, recognizing art as essential, a vital power in our country's development. Or has the administration learned "Even in moments of highest happiness and deepest misery that we need the artist."

"Artists have been touched by the power of inspiration through a masterpiece, or by some one they happened to meet who saw in them what no one had ever seen before, the power to do an immortal thing.

"Our friend, Frank Klepper, found inspiration for his dream and hopes in following in the footsteps of America's celebrated mural painters. I have in mind a noted mural artist, Kenyon Cox, who said: 'Work thou for pleasure. Paint or sing or carve the thing thou lovest.'

"The schools in America and Europe he studied in and the artists he worked with would do honor to any country or age. He has had honors given him, and won many prizes. His pictures hang in our homes and are chosen for our schools, for our citizens recognize the value of good pictures for the young.

"We are not educated through the mind, but by vision. The clarion call today is patriotism! There are many ways of giving expression to one's loyalty to his county. The spark of patriotism smouldering in the soul of Frank Klepper is portrayed in this beautiful mural painting that is unveiled this day. In it the artist gives all the mind sees in history, finished technique and sentiment.

"The science of Art, anatomy, perspective values of light and shadow are art schools teaching. But all that goes to make a work divine, immortal, must be the inner consciousness of the artist.

"Dear friends, in behalf of our untiring president, Mrs. T. E. Craig, and McKinney Art club, of which this noted artist is a member, we recognize his artistic qualifications in this mural painting which is an historical setting for our early settlement, and we are proud to accept it for our community."

Out-of-Town Guests.

Among those from out of the city, who attended the unveiling, and the tea held later in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Craig, were: Miss Jane Lankin and Mrs. Frank Jenning both of Denison; Mrs. Felix Edwards and Mrs. Darwin Curtis, both of Sherman; Miss Lewise Lingwiler, Miss Beryl Tilson, Miss Kathryn Travis, Miss Allie Tennant, Mrs. Robert Giles, Miss Martha Walcott, Mrs. Anton Korn, Mrs. Dwight Horton, Mrs. Fred Heard, E. G. Eisenlohr, Jimmie Swann, Miss Mary Folson, Mrs. A. H. Bailey, all of Dallas; Miss Elsie Barron, Mrs. Ford Barnard and Mrs. G. A. Barnard, all of Plano.

MISS ELOISE SMITH BRIDE OF TERRELL MAN

Miss Eloise Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith of Nevada, became the bride of Travis Trollinger, of Terrell, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Bradshaw on North Church street this (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Bradshaw, a former pastor of Miss Smith, officiated with the beautiful and sacred ring ceremony. The couple were attended by Miss Nauble Beene, Dillard LaRue, Mr. Trollinger, brother of the groom; Miss Anita Smith, all of Nevada, and Harold Smith of Denton.

The bride was lovely in a spring suit of gray wool, her accessories matching. She wore a corsage of sweet peas. Mrs. Trollinger is an accomplished musician and young woman of many sweet virtues. She was quite popular with her associates at Nevada, being active in social and religious circles.

The groom is an ambitious young man, who possesses many friends. He holds a position in the bank at Terrell. He and his bride expect to make their home there. The couple have the best wishes upon their marriage for many years of future happiness.

Following the ceremony here they briefly visited the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. C. Smith, and her aunt, Mrs. Jim Kimbriel, on South Tennessee street.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(February 22, 1909.)

Mr. and Mrs. Loren M. Goddard are visiting in Plano today.

Mrs. J. O. Belden and little daughter, Anna Lulu, spent Sunday in Denison visiting relatives.

Ed Throckmorton of Marietta, Texas, is visiting his old home in McKinney today. He is a son of the late Governor J. W. Throckmorton of McKinney.

Seven wagons were in McKinney today after lumber for the proposed new five room parsonage to be erected at Anna for the Methodist church. Rev. J. H. Overstreet is the pastor.

C. E. Pharr and Miss Mattie Anderson were married yesterday afternoon at Lucas. The wedding took place at the home of S. Anderson, father of the bride. Rev. A. H. Snider of McKinney officiated.

Miss Hallie Davie of Nevada and the Misses Ford of this city were visitors at the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette office Saturday. They were interested in the printing of the Daily. Miss Davie is the popular teacher of Empire school near Nevada.

JUST RECEIVED:

A lovely line of Rochester handkerchiefs in the Sports Day and every wear. The name Rochester means the utmost in handkerchief making. MRS. W. E. MARSHALL, Where Style Reigns Supreme.

ROLAND W. BOYD FOR LEGISLATURE

Hon. Roland W. Boyd, civil and criminal lawyer of McKinney is being strongly solicited by his many friends in Collin county to make the race as Local Representative to the Texas Legislature. He is a man of poise and firmness and in the prime of life. We believe that he would make a wise, fearless and conscientious Legislator. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boyd, prominent citizen of Lavon.—Wylie Herald.

Among the McKinney fans who journeyed to the Southern Methodist University gymnasium to see the McKinney High Lions play in the District High school basketball tournament Friday afternoon and night were: Prof. J. T. (Doc) Rollins, W. Hammond Moore, George James, James H. Merritt and son, James Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bass, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Crockett and Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Forte, and daughter, Rosemary.

Mrs. B. P. Weeks has returned to Bonham after a visit to her mother, Mrs. Plummer Harris, and her sister, Miss Florence Lea Harris. Mrs. Weeks was formerly Miss Sarah Harris, who was born and reared in McKinney. Her husband was a former high school teacher of this city.

Charles Sportsman, athletic coach of the North Texas State Teachers college, is a native of McKinney, being a son of Mrs. Jack Sportsman and of the late Col. Jack Sportsman, County Commissioner of this Precinct for several years. Charles, who is a graduate of McKinney High school, later took his A. B. degree at the institution with which he is now connected as coach. During the last two summers, he has worked on his Master's degree in the Southern California University, at Los Angeles.

Miss Ruth Powell, one of the teachers at the Sedalia school, spent Saturday in McKinney with her sister, Mrs. Dow Hendricks. While in the city Miss Powell ordered the Daily Courier-Gazette sent to her address. We appreciate her patronage and pleasant visit to our office.

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For State Senator (10th Senatorial District):
WALLACE HUGHSTON.

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For Flortorial Representative, Collin-Grayson Counties:
GROVER BURTON.

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For Local Representative:
J. W. (JOE) McCULLOUGH.
(Re-election second term).
T. O. MURRAY.
BYRON ENGLAND.

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For District Clerk:
L. A. (LONNIE) SEARS.
For Re-election
TOM L. BAILEY.
FLOYD W. TAYLOR.

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For Sheriff:
G. J. S. WALKER.
(Re-election Second Term)

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For County Attorney:
HORACE H. NEILSON.

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For Assessor-Collector:
F. T. N. (NICK) HOOD.
N .D. READY.

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For County Clerk:
MRS. PEARL STROTHER.
(Re-election second term)

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For County Superintendent:
ROY R. JAMES
L. DOW HENDRICKS.
(Re-election second term.)
J. W. MOSELEY.

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For County Treasurer:
MISS LELA COPELAND.
CECIL M. HIGHT

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For Commissioner Precinct 1:
ALVIN BROWN.
DON O. DAVIS

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For Commissioner Precinct 2:
PAUL R. HARRIS.
JACK ENLOE.
JACK FRYER.

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For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
C. C. WHITT.

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For Constable, Precinct 1:
JOHN A. RECORD.
(Re-Election, Second Term)

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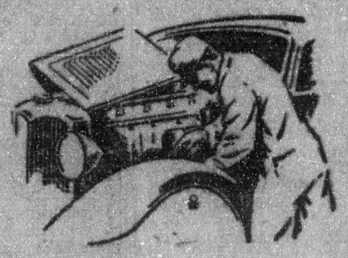

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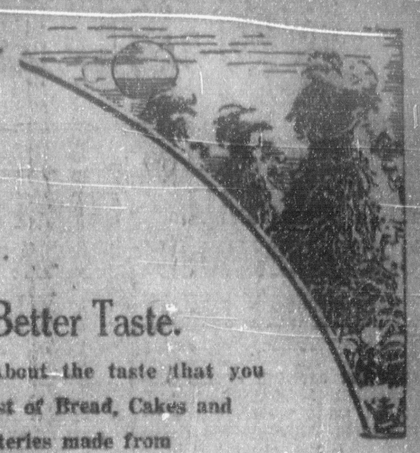

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Capt. Bill Watson and son, Bill Jr., of Frisco, were in McKinney Saturday. These editors and papers received a welcome business call from them. Capt. Watson recently bought and moved into a good home at Frisco. We gladly welcome him and his cultured wife and fine young son back to his old native Collin home county.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cranfil H. Cox and daughter, Miss Mary Jo, of Gilmer were guests Thursday night of the latter's sister, Mrs. Jesse E. Foster, and family in this city. Miss Mary Jo Cox is a freshman in C. I. A. at Denton, this year.

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Cecil M. Hight

Announces For County Treasurer of Collin County

Cecil M. Hight, young farmer of this county, authorizes the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette to make his announcement for the office of County Treasurer. By way of introductory to his signed statement below, it may be stated that he is a member of one of our county's best known families, who have lived in and around McKinney for a half century. Mr. Hight is well qualified for the place he seeks, is a young man of pleasing address, courteous towards everyone and would make a painstaking, conscientious public official if elected. He announces subject to the Democratic primary of July 28. We commend his candidacy to your consideration. In making out your ticket his choice for County Treasurer, we will appreciate anything you can do for him. His signed statement is as follows:

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Mr. Hight's Personal Statement.

I take this method of announcing to my friends and the citizenship of Collin county in general my candidacy for the office of Treasurer of Collin county, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

This office, while possibly not having the responsibility of some other offices in the county, is an office which requires painstaking and careful attention to detail and; I feel that I am qualified to give this kind of service to the people as I have had sufficient experience in this line of work to enable me to do the work.

I am a native of Collin county; born and reared on a farm, and am still actively engaged in farm work. For the past 5 yeass I have devoted most of my time to the business of operating a gin in McKinney. I received my education in the public school system of McKinney and Collin county.

I know no politics except Democratic Party politics, and while I have not been as active in County politics as some, I have always taken a keen interest in party policies and party politics. I have never asked the people of Collin county for political honors, and only do so now believing that if elected I can better myself and at the same time give good, courteous, and efficient service to the people.

I have no interest except in Collin county where I expect to continue to live and make my home. My helpmate in all undertakings is a Collin county girl, a daughter of E. D. Roach, living in the western part of Collin county. I do not intend to make this race on any basis except my qualifications for this office, and I intend to meet personally as many of the people of Collin county as I can before the primary. If you upon investigation, conclude that I am fitted for this office, and find my candidacy deserving, then I will most heartily appreciate your vote and influence in this campaign.

Yours to serve,
CECIL M. HIGHT.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, Judge.
Mrs. Eusl Ford, Deputy.
L. A. Sears, Clerk.
W. C. Dowdy, County Attorney.
Leon Mores, Assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, Assistant.

Cases Disposed of

The criminal assignment continues this week in District Court.

Aaron Edward Stovall, charged with driving while intoxicated, was tried and given a one year suspended sentence.

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New Suits

J. A. Millsap vs. Dorothy Millsap, divorce.

Mary Mitchell vs. the Curtis Publishing company, suit for personal injuries.

C. L. Sullivan vs. Susie Sullivan, divorce.

J. E. Gibson, Gdn. vs. Paul Pike, debt and foreclosure.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

Hon. J. Frank Harrington, Judge.
Mrs. Pearl Strother, Clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, Chief Deputy.

Pleas of Guilty

G. E. Wagner, charged with swindling by worthless check, fined $5.00 and cost, amounting to $39.35.

Clyde Poe, charged with theft fined $25 and cost amounting to $61.35 and sentenced to five days in jail.

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Probate

Alfred M. Scott has made application in probate will of L. A. Scott, deceased.

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Marriage License

T. D. Bull and Mrs. Dora Gray.
Virgil L. Snider and Miss Viola Dare.
Charles E. Standefer and Cleo St. John.
[illegible] Wilson and Eunice Reed.
Luther Doyle Gilbert and Belle Mcreese.
Max Campbell and Bessie Geo[illegible]
test.

J. A. Cullum and Conely Prendergast.

Franklin Cole and Gretchen Summers.

Peter Stark and Frances Ellen Antele.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, Constable.
Bill Herndon, Deputy.

The Constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week with pleas of guilty: Two for disturbance; three for swindling; one for drunkenness; two for theft; two for disturbing public worship; two for affray.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NEWS

G. J. S. Walker, Sheriff.
Jim Douglass, Office Deputy.
George Eubanks, Riding Deputy.
A. G. Sparlin, Special Deputy.
Stony Allen Allen, Jailer.

The Sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed and pleas of guilty in Justice Court: One for theft; one for abusive language; one for disturbance.

John R. Day, prominent farmer of the Allen community, was smiling with friends here at the county seat Saturday. He served four years as County Commissioner of Precinct No. 4 from 1925-1928. We have heard his name mentioned in connection with the possible candidacy for the same position again this year. Mr. Day says that this has been a very mild winter, so far. Fall sown wheat is looking nice and green, and farm work as a rule is well up for this winter season of the year.

PERSONALS

Kent Perry, proprietor of a funeral home in Farmersville, is quite ill in a Dallas hospital where he has been a patient for several days. Kent is a son of Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Perry of Allen and a brother-in-law of Glen Scott, McKinney business man.

Deputy Sheriff Arbie Sparlin Thursday arrested Ned Prince and Jim Finnell, both colored, of Plano. The negroes were brought to the McKinney City hospital for treatment, following a cutting affray in Plano Thursday morning. They face charges of aggravated assault, and cases will be called in county court when they have recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital. According to Officer Sparlin, both negroes used knives in the affray.

Mrs. Jack Sportsman orders the Daily Courier-Gazette sent to her daughter, Miss Edna Sportsman, 1418 West Hickory street, Denton, where she is a sophomore in the North Texas State Teachers college. Miss Edna is a graduate of the McKinney High school. She spent the week-end in Dallas. In returning to Denton Sunday afternoon, she came by McKinney to visit her mother and home. She was accompanied by Dan Neathery Jr. of Dallas. Miss Edna's brother, Charles Sportsman, is serving his fourth year as athletic coach of the North Texas State Teachers college. The past week-end he took his track team to Laredo to participate in some contests in that border section of our state.

M. L. Vermillion, F. F. Brown and L. C. Kelley, all of Westminster, were business visitors in McKinney Tuesday.

C. C. Whitt of Blue Ridge and seventeen-year-old son, Melvin, were in the city Saturday. Mr. Whitt made one of the best County Commissioners Collin ever had, and has entered the race again this year. He feels like he can serve the people better now than ever before and besides he is receiving a great deal of encouragement to run. His son is a graduate of the Farmersville High school, who has also attended the North Texas State Teachers college at Denton, and hopes to be able to return some time to finish his college education there. He is a bright ,ambitious youth.

Prof. N. C. Smart, the capable principal of the L. A. Scott Junior High school, has been teaching in McKinney for eight years with increasing popularity all the time. Mr. Smart is an ambitious young educator. Only last summer he was awarded his Master's Degree from Southern Methodist university. The thesis for his Master's Degree was "The Cost and Development of Free School Education in Texas." It was an exhaustive and laborious treatise of great value as a historical document in free school education in Collin county from its earliest introduction to its present high degree of development.

Will L. Newsome, 2824 Jennings Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas, places us under obligations for the necessary "filthy lucre" to renew his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. Mr. Newsome is a capable business man—son of Rev. W. T. Newsome, now of Pike. Mr. Newsome's wife was born and reared in McKinney, being a daughter of the late J. W. Jones of this city.

W. P. (Perkins) Smith dropped in to see us, renewing his allegiance in a financial way for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. He is a son of the late pioneer Col. U. J. Smith, than whom this editor never had a better or truer friend. W. P. (Perkins) Smith is named after this editor. Hope the name (Perkins) he has to carry won't hinder or hurt this fine young man. Don't look like it will. He is a six-footer, weighs 200 pounds, a Mason, a fine young farmer and a real 100 per cent American. Always glad to see you, young man. Come in and see us more often.

S. G. (Shirley) Taylor has bought Mrs. Walter D. Howell's nice lot on Waddill street, the vacant lot between Add G. Wilson's and W. W. Pruett's homes, being 100x200, and will soon commence the erection of a modern new home. Mr. Taylor recently sold his home on College street through Tom W. Perkins and Frank G. Dowell of McKinney Realty company and Frank Blackwell, to Hubert White. Mr. Taylor was four years county clerk of Collin county, and the county never had a better one.

E. E. Spurgin, who is a tenant on one of Dr. C. M. Shumway's farms in the Forest Grove community, sends in a dollar to enroll his name for the ensuing year on the Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription list. Mr. Spurgin is a busy farmer, doing winter breaking and other needed farm work usually done at this season of the year.

A. J. (Uncle Alex) Hoskins, 72, for thirty-five years a resident of Hebron, died February 14. He was a native of Tennessee. Surviving are his wife, four daughters, one son and a sister.

Tom W. Allen and wife left Sunday for their home at Knox City, Knox county, West Texas, after visiting relatives in and near McKinney for a couple of days and nights. Their two little sons, Bobby and Tom Wallace, accompanied them. The young husband and father is a son of Deputy Sheriff Stony Allen, Collin county jailer, while Mrs. Allen was formerly Miss Ethel Lafollette, daughter of C. W. Lafollette, residing on Route 1, McKinney. At one time, she attended the McKinney High school.

J. H. Hill of Frisco suffered a stroke of paralysis and is in a serious condition. Among those at his bedside are his children: Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Hill, Houston; Mrs. A. G. Stewart, San Antonio; O. M. Hill, Medicine Lodge, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ramey, Paducah; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crouch of Denton and LeRoy Hill at home.

We have a request to change the Daily Courier-Gazette address of Prof. C. H. Thurman from Dallas, Texas, to 1202½ West Oak, Denton. Prof. Thurman appreciates getting his old McKinney home news through the columns of our paper.

E. B. McTee is still keeping close-in at his home on South Wilcox street where he has been taking the rest cure for the last twelve or fifteen months. His friends will be glad to learn that he is making steady, if slow, progress towards restoration to normal strength again. Mr. McTee was on the city police force here for several years until his health became frail, and he had to retire. Mr. McTee came to McKinney several years ago from his farm at Verona where he was a widely known Northeast Collin farmer for a number of years.

Joe Thomas, Route 1, Clearlake, intends to keep better posted on his home county news. Therefore, he enrolls for Collin county's oldest newspaper, the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for a year in advance. We appreciate adding his name to our list.

Mrs. A. C. Watson of Greenville has been in McKinney the past few days, being called here by the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Matt Wheatley. Mrs. Watson and children will return to their home Sunday. They have ordered the Daily Courier-Gazette sent to their address at 2213 Church street, Greenville.

Fire Chief J. S. McKinney announces the receipt by the local volunteer fire department of a check for $5.00 from City Attorney Jno. Reese, given in appreciation for their work in preventing spread of flames when fire destroyed the Ed Rhea house, occupied by Porter Harding and Lewis Graves and families, Sunday night. The firemen wish to publicly acknowledge receipt of this donation and extend thanks to their kind donor.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton J. Burkett announce the arrival of a daughter at the city hospital on Sunday, Feb. 25. The little miss has been named Lucy Ozella for her mother. Mrs. Burkett before her marriage was Miss Lucy Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Burkett are receiving congratulations from their many friends.

Johnny Harlin, son of J. J. Harlin, substantial farmer of the Bloomdale community, who has been in the McKinney City hospital for over a month with pneumonia followed by an operation, is progressing nicely on the road to recovery, now. He is a Bloomdale school student and athlete.

New Spring Fabrics

Silks-Cottons-Woolens

12½c to $.149

PER YARD

36-in. Sport Print Duralin
36-in. Plain Duralin, all colors
36-in. Printed Repp
36-in. Printed Piques
32-in. Zephyr Ginghams
36-in. Printed Seersucker
36-in. Ripple Cord
36-in. Novelty Waffle Cloth
36-in. Solid Color Pique

39c YARD

Balmy Spring days will break upon us all before we know it. For those who have sewing to do, now is the time to select fabrics and get dresses, coats and suits under way. Our Spring fabrics are superb. Whether it be cotton, silk or woolen, you will find new patterns here that are new, colorful and unusual value for the prices we are quoting.

36-in. Printed Linens
36-in. Printed Broadcloth
36-in. Linen Suiting, solid colors
36-in. Block Check Ginghams
36-in. Solid Color Broadcloth
36-in. Printed Pongees

29c YARD

36-in. Sport Diagonals
36-in. Waffle Cloth, solid
36-in. Waffle Cloth, printed
36-in. Seersucker Pique
36-in. Novelty Seersucker
36-in. Novelty Suitings

49c YARD

New Spring SILKS

PRINTS
36-inch, fast-color, new Spring patterns.
12½c

New Wool Goods

40-in. Printed Crepe
40-in. Panne Satin
40-in. Triple Sheer
40-in. Rough Crepe
40-in. Sport Crepe
40-in. Celanese Taffeta

98c YARD

54-in. Novelty Coating
54-in. Home Spun
54-in. Wool Crepe
54-in. Sport Tweed
54-in. Sport Flannel
54-in. Wool Flake Crepe

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New SPRING Apparel

For Men and Young Men

Men, Spring is almost here, so why not come in and select your spring apparel in our store and save money? We offer for your approval complete stocks of Clothing —Furnishings and Shoes, and we know our prices will please you.

Smart New Felts For Spring

AND AT SUCH REASONABLE PRICES

$2.98 and $3.49

Light weight Felts for Springs in pretty light shades of grey and tan. Some have wide bands—others narrow bands. Bands match and contrast in color in both widths. Some of the brims are plain, while others are bound. All sizes to select from

Collar Attached Shirts For Men---Young Men

98c

This lot of Shirts is made up of Bestwon and Paragon woven broadcloth Shirts. Both makes feature fast colors—pre-shrunk materials and excellent workmanship. You will find solid colors of blue—green and tan, also many attractive fancy patterns including checks, figures and stripes.

2-Pant Suits For Men and Young Men

$14.85

Stylish—well tailored Suits for men and young men. They have two pairs of pants—Coat and vest, are made of good quality, Spring weight woolens in light grey. Ideal for Spring and Summer wear are very unusual values at this remarkably low price.

2-Pant Suits For Men and Young Men

$19.50

Stylish—well tailored Spring Suits for men and young men. Light and dark greys, also pretty shades of tan to select from. All are four piece suits including coat, vest and two pairs of pants. Remarkable values at this price, as they can be worn all Spring and Summer and into the late Fall.

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One month	$ .60
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One year in advance	5.00

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One month	.50
Three months	1.25
Six Months	2.25
One year	4.00

DAILY BY MAIL OUT OF TEXAS

One month	$ .50
Three months	1.25
Six months	2.50
One year	5.00

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1934.

Editorial Expression

Our esteemed contemporary, the Gainesville Signal, recently moved its plant to a new location, much better arranged to accomodate its modern mechanical printing outfit.

Demand of the various candidates before the election how and where they stand on the vital issues before the public. Won't do any good after the election. They are going to do as they please after election. Just wait and see.

Historical writer says that when arrows were exhausted the "lace" wasn't effective against soldiers. Brother, a little piece of lace has made many a man lose his head, especially if it was attached to a garment worn by a dashing blond.

These editors are cussed and discussed every day. Like it. Keep up the good work. Regardless, we continue to write and publish free, nice obituary notices. You may find some errors, but no mean things in these editor's columns. Been at the business too long. Quit borrowing your neighbor's paper. Subscribe—today.

Congratulations to Bro. Marvin Smith of the Farmersville Times, who is now galloping along in his thirty-third year as a printer-publisher. He is sometimes alluded to as "The Onion King Publisher of Farmersville." He is unquestionably the champion booster of the famous East Collin sweets—and "Friendly Farmersville." Well, we concede that he has something to crow over.

A veteran retired minister of this county is Rev. S. W. Miller of Frisco. On Sunday, February 4, he preached his eighty-seventh birthday sermon at the Frisco Methodist church, of which Rev. Ben Bell is the pastor. He preaches on his birthday each year. About three years ago he preached it in the First church here at McKinney. He has been a minister of the gospel for more than sixty-five years. He is still able to preach occasionally and delivers sremons of vigor, thought and spirituality.

Do you want your home county printers to move off, leave the city or county? We don't believe you do. Then, when a candidate for any county or precinct office gives you a card, ask him where it was printed. Of course, if out of the county, they do not want your county printers to vote for them. They expect to get their votes in St. Louis, Dallas, Chicago, or New York. And there is where they should go to get them. People, be loyal to your home printers. They are your friends.

Senator Joe M. Moore, our State Senator, has announced for Lieutenant-Governor. For fourteen years, he has been a Texas Legislator, four years in the House, ten years in the Senate. He has made a good record and would make Texas an excellent Lieutenant-Governor. In fact, Senator Moore is big and able enough to be Governor. He married a Collin county woman, which, naturally, makes these editors—long personal and political friends—want to see Senator Moore "go on up higher." He is a young man of fine personal appearance, a wonderful, interesting speaker, and if Texas Democrats elect him Lieutenant-Governor, they will have a 'sho 'nuff one. We are for you, Senator.

IF HE IS RIGHT, ALL OTHERS WRONG.

Texas has been complimented this week with the discovery of a real MAN, spelled with capital letters, in Washington. The MAN came from Texas and is the only represenative in the United States possessing a back bone.

We speak of George Terrell, who cast a lone vote against another rubber stamp measure, and this only a few months before election time.

He may have killed himself politically by his action, but his action clearly proves that he is no politician. Some day, somewhere, a monument should be erected to the honor of this stalwart son of Texas, and inscribed very simply, "He Was A Man."—Howe Chronicle.

Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper, in President Franklin D. Roosevelt's cabinet, says that "every advancing generation has had some cataclysm that has awakened its highly social and economic thinking. Outstanding illustrations in this country have been the Revolutionary, Civil and World Wars and the blighting depression that descended on us in 1929. As a result of the harrowing experiences of the past four years, right now more people are interested in economic problems than ever before in the history of the country. Economics is no longer a subject discussed primarily in the class-rooms of colleges and universities. The depression brought it into the family circle, and there has been born in the minds and hearts of most of the people a determination to discover and put in motion policies and plans that may be reasonably expected to safeguard succeeding generations from a repitition of such an economic calamity."

Announced Candidacy

JUDGE JAMES W. McCLENDON

For Associate Justice Supreme Court of Texas

Judge James W. McClendon, Chief Justice of the Austin Court of Civil Appeals, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic Nomination to the Association Justiceship of the Supreme Court of Texas, to succeed Judge Greenwood who will not be a candidate for reelection. In making this announcement Judge McClendon stated that his record of five years upon the Supreme Court Commission of Appeals and ten years upon the Court of Civil Appeals, and the estimate of that record by those qualified to appraise it, will constitute his claim and appeal to the electorate for their support and promotion.

Judge McClendon is a Past Grand Master of Texas Masonry. He has many personal friends and admirers in Collin county and over the entire state.

For Commissioner

C. C. Whitt Of Blue Ridge Announces For District No. 3

The name of C. C. Whitt appears in the announcement column of our paper today for the office of County Commissioner, District No. 3, subject to the Democratic Primary of July 28.

Mr. Whitt is no stranger to the people of his big district nor to our readers, as he has heretofore served in that same office for two terms, during which tenure he made a remarkably creditable official record. From almost every quarter he received praise for the road work he did and the efficient manner in which he handled all business devolving upon him as County Commissioner. He spared no effort to meet the wishes of his constituency in every way possible—not merely in road and bridge work, but also in other ways such as the handling of county affairs in an economical and efficient manner. This is especially needed in these times of depression which is now lifting.

He is a man of easy approach by anyone, high or low, who wishes to consult him about public affairs or needs.

He is of naturally a friendly and sociable disposition and finds genuine pleasure in accommodating and serving his fellow man in a conscientious and helpful manner always.

Mr. Whitt feels that he is much better qualified now than ever to fill the place as do also his friends, many of whom have encouraged him to announce for the position again this year.

Mr. Whitt is an honorable citizen, a man of solid integrity and upright character, who takes genuine pleasure in rendering helpful, satisfactory public service.

Both his private and official lives are open for inspection. He stands strictly on his record and on his own merits.

He favors strict economy in government and for the higher standards of living and the betterment of the people as a whole in every way—educationally, morally, materially and for better living conditions for all classes, insofar as his office can relate to them.

Mr. Whitt appreciates his friends, and we can assure our readers that no one could possibly appreciate your vote or influence in his behalf more than he. We commend his candidacy to your careful consideration when you come to make your choice for the very important office of County Commissioner for Distaict No. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Self and children of Allen were McKinney visitors.

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Optometrist and Optical Specialist

Modern scientific instruments used in examining the eyes. No drugs or shots. All work guaranteed.

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SAM HARBEN'S NICE FLOWERS

Sam Harben, Editor of the Richardson Echo, is probably the best known and most beloved newspaper man in all Texas. For more than twenty-five years he has been the able, efficient and accommodating Secretary of the Texas Press Association. All known, respect and love Sam. In a recent issue of the Richardson Echo, Sam has the following anent the Weekly Democrat-Gazette's 50th (Golden) Anniversary.

PULLLING, WORKING TEAM

"Our neighbors, publishers of the McKinney Weekly Democrat-Gazette, last week celebrated the Golden Anniversary of this publication. The present owners, working together since a consolidation twenty-eight years ago, Tom W. Perkins and Walter B. Wilson, are among the most prominent newspaper folks in Texas. We congratulate McKinney and Collin county upon being able to keep these men, as their workers and neighbors, for the completion of this Fifty Year period of combined publication. They also publish the Daily Courier-Gazette, in its thrity-eighth successful year of publication."

Mrs. C. C. Harris has returned from a few days' visit to her mother, Mrs. J. H. Doyle, in Fort Worth. She also visited her uncle, Judge W. E. Doyle, and family in Teague ,before returning home.

Ed Coffey spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coffey, at Lucas.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(February 16, 1909.)

Horace Pardue is in Dallas on business today.

The residence of J. M. Martin on West Virginia street is being nicely repainted.

Mrs. C. W. Hardaway of Melissa is visiting friends and shopping in McKinney today.

Miss Effie Elmore left today for a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. G. A. Stiff and husband, at Como, Texas.

Mrs. T. H. Thompson has let the contract for a nice four-room rent house on North Coleman street to W. J. Higgins to build. Work has already commenced.

Mrs. J. B. Martin, 79, died Sunday, February 14, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Ivey, east of McKinney in the Milligan community. Her burial took place in the Scott cemetery near Bloomdale yesterday afternoon. She was the mother of Andrew J. Martin, Mrs. W .D. Goostree and Mrs. S. V. Ausburn, all of McKinney. She was born in Wilson county, Tennessee, October 15, 1830. Her maiden name was Caroline Chambliss. She was an aunt of Night Policeman Tom Chambliss of this city. She married J. B Martin in Tennessee, February 21, 1848 ,and moved to the Vineland community near McKinney in 1889. Her husband preceded her in death four years ago.

LATE TEXAS NEWS

Lieut. Fred Patrick, army pilot of Louisiana, was killed near Denison today while landing for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patrick.

Legislators in Austin jockeyed Friday in last-minute battles to block bills they oppose and to advance others in the closing days of the present session, which must end midnight, Feb. 27.

A District Court jury Saturday found W. D. (Bill) May, Handley farmer, guilty of murder in the death of Jack Sturdivant, Eula, and fixed the penalty at death.

Clyde Mays, defense attorney, announced that a new trial would be asked Monday. Failing to get it, he said, the case will be appealed to the Criminal Court of Appeals.

A total of $1,100 in week-end receipts were removed from a burglar-proof wall safe by knob knockers in Dallas Monday morning. The safe belonged to the Mirror theater.

The next to the last session of the State Senate appeared ready to consider some important bills Monday, including one carrying amendments to the state boxing law.

Thos. W. Vardell, sr., president of the Southwestern Life Insurance company, of Dallas, prominent in many lines in the life of the Southwest, died of an acute heart attack Tuesday morning. He was sixty-one years of age.

At 2:05 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning, the second called session of the Forty-Third Legislature came to an end, at the constitutional limit of its thirty-day existence. The session would have automatically closed at midnight had not clocks in the legislative halls been stopped. Close survivors of the session included bills for the issuance of $7,750,000 state relief bonds and a moratorium until Feb. 1, 1935, on forced sales of real property in Texas.

Buddy Garrett, wife and beautiful little three-year-old daughter, Patsy Ruth, of New Orleans, have returned home after a couple days visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Garrett, and other relatives at their old home here in McKinney. Mr. Garrett is a salesman out of New Orleans over a large district of Louisiana.

ANNOUNCING THE OPENING OF THE

Cozy Beauty Shop

Croquignole Push up wave $1.00 with plenty curls, set included

Oil of Tulip Wave	$1.50
Du-Art	$2.00
Real-Art Croquignole Wave	$3.
Shampoo and Set	40c
Finger Wave	25c
Heans Pack	35c
Lash and Brow Dye	50c

All Work Guaranteed

This new shop is sponsored by Grace Rea, an experienced operator formerly of Kansas City.

Cozy Barber Shop

207 E. La. St.

Now! Ease Sore Throat Instantly!

1 Crush and dissolve 3 Bayer Aspirin Tablets in half a glass of water.

2 GARGLE thoroughly—throw your head way back, allowing a little to trickle down your throat.

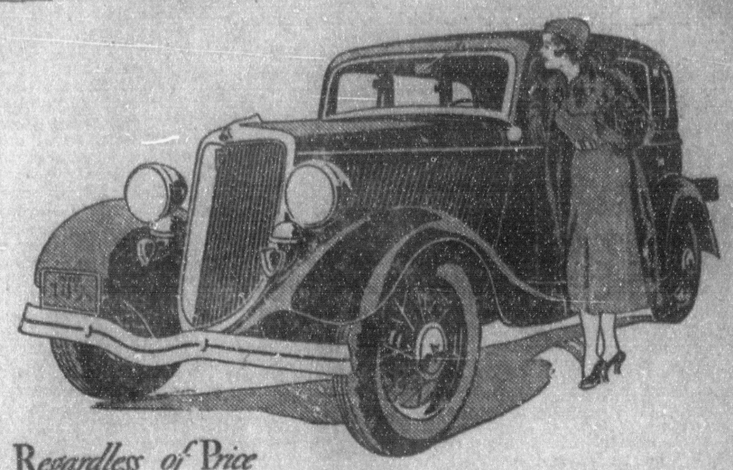
3 Repeat gargle and do not rinse mouth, allow gargle to remain on membranes of the throat for prolonged effect.

Remember: Only Medicine Helps Sore Throat

Modern medical science now throws an entirely new light on sore throat. A way that eases the pain, rawness and irritation in as little as *two or three minutes!*

It requires medicine—like BAYER ASPIRIN—to do these things! That is why throat specialists throughout America are prescribing this BAYER gargle in place of old-time ways.

Be careful, however, that you get *real* BAYER Aspirin for this purpose. For they dissolve completely enough to gargle without leaving irritating particles.



Regardless of Price

Judge the new FORD V8 on what it will do

Thousands of people who can afford to spend two or three times as much for a car, are today choosing the Ford V-8 for 1934, instead. Here are some of the reasons.

POWER. The Ford V-8 for 1934 gives you better than 80 miles per hour with the quicker acceleration and greater smoothness of an 8-cylinder motor. Power has actually been increased by 12 per cent over last year's model.

COMFORT. The Ford V-8 for 1934 offers more actual body room than many other cars that cost considerably more. It offers you new Clear-Vision Ventilation, with the window in one piece. It offers you free action *for all four wheels*—plus the comfort of Ford Cantilever Springs and the proved safety of a front axle.

SAFETY. With the new Ford V-8 you get an all-steel body, safety glass, welded steel-spoke wheels, exceptionally low center of gravity and more braking surface per pound of weight than any other American-made car we know of.

ECONOMY. Gasoline economy is increased by two or three miles per gallon with the new Ford V-8. Test runs show that the new engine will give 20 miles per gallon at 45 miles per hour.

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With Waring's Pennsylvanians: Sunday, 7:30 P.M., Thursday, 8:30 P.M., over Columbia network.

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Why Doctors Favor a Liquid Laxative

A doctor will tell you that the careless use of strong laxatives may do more harm than good.

Harsh laxatives often drain the system, weaken the bowel muscles, and even affect the liver and kidneys.

Fortunately, the public is fast returning to laxatives in *liquid form.* The dose of a liquid laxative can be measured. The action can thus be regulated to suit individual need. It forms no habit; you needn't take a "double dose" a day or two later.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin gently helps the average person's bowels back to regularity. Why not try it? Some pill or tablet may be more convenient to carry. But there is little "convenience" in any cathartic which is taken so frequently, you must carry it with you, wherever you go!

Its very taste tells you Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is wholesome. A delightful taste, and delightful action. Safe for expectant mothers, and children. All druggists, ready for use, in big bottles. Member N. R. A.

LATE FOREIGN NEWS

The body of King Albert I. of Belgium, was given final rites today by both high and low as the world paid last tribute to a great statesman, citizen and warrior. The funeral procession passed through Brussels' streets to the cathedral for services and later to Laeken, four miles away, for burial in the family vault.

Gen. Augustino Sandino, famous Nicaraguan rebel, whom American marines sought unsuccessfully several years ago during the Central American trouble, was killed last night by National Guardsmen of his home nation, it was announced today at Managua, Nicaragua.

Leopold III was proclaimed Friday as King of the Belgians, amid clamoring bells, cannons and the wild cheers of hundreds of thousands of his subjects. Princess Astrid of Sweden, Leopold's consort, became queen, while Queen Elizabeth, widow of King Albert, who was buried Thursday, became the Queen Mother.

All Europe was alarmed today by movements on both sides of the Czecho-Slovakian border. Troop movements were reported as heavy by Viennese correspondents who were forced to phone their message when the Austrian government placed a censorship on all messages. The censorship was put on reports that Archduke Otto of Hungary or some other of the House of Hapsburg might be made King of Austria.

With preparations to entertain [illegible] at a banquet [illegible] Roosevelt, that government [illegible] plan to get control [illegible] of the American [illegible]

Ned Prince (colored) of Plano died in the McKinney City hospital at 1:45 o'clock Friday afternoon of wounds received in an affray at Plano. Two brothers, Jim Finley and Val Finley, (colored), of Plano, are charged with murder in connection with Prince's death. Jim Finley is in jail here. Val Finley is still at large. The negroes were brought to McKinney by Deputy Sheriff Arbie Sparlin, following the affray at Plano. Charges were filed in the office of Justice of the Peace Erwin Craus.

Mrs. M. Whisenant of Allen was a business visitor in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jones were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Angel, in Allen.

Mrs. Jim Taylor has gone to Waco to visit her sister, Mrs. Walter Reese, Jr.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lewis of Allen has been taken to the McKinney City hospital for treatment.

J. L. Poliard, who resides on Route 1, McKinney, has ordered the Daily Courier-Gazette for several months in advance, for which we thank him.

Mrs. R. L. Howard has returned home to Allen, after being called to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Trott, in Dallas.

A Tonic for the Blood

Mrs. J. D. Stanford of 2018 N. Main St., Fort Worth, Texas, said: "I was in ill health—nervous and weak, I would have to lie down many times during the day. My nerves were bad and caused many sleepless nights, my appetite was poor and I lost much weight. After I had taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery I felt like a young girl again."

New size, tablets 50 cts., liquid $1.00. Large size, tabs. or liquid, $1.35. "We Do Our Part."

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Prompt Service Moderate Prices

Mitchell's Drug Store

"Mitchell Has It" Phone 330

News Items Of Interest From All Over Collin County

WYLIE
Miss Beulah Hall

Miss Meda Crabtree and Willie Corbitt were united in marriage Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. Blalock, Dallas, sister of the groom. Rev. T. S. Zackary read the marriage vows. A host of relatives and friends attended the ceremony. D. P. Miller sang the prenuptial solo "Because," while a niece of the groom played the wedding march. The bride was attended by Miss Mozelle Anderhub and Claudie Crabtree ,brother of the bride as best man. The bride wore a suit of beige with brown trimming and accessories. Her corsage was of tea roses. The maid of honor wore a blue frock and a corsage of pink rose buds.

A profusion of fern and red and white banked the mantel before which the ceremony was read. The dining table, laid with lace and centered by beautiful, decorated bride's cake and red tapers. A buffet supper was served in the dining room. Both bride and groom are lifelong residents of Wylie. They will make their home near Wylie. The many friends of the young couple wish them a long and successful married life.

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Charlie Joe Bozeman of Oklahoma City spent the week-end with relatives and friends.

Lometa Addington of Clearlake was a Wylie visitor Saturday night.

Walter Daniel was a Dallas visitor Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Lewis and son and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kiligore of Murphy were Wylie visitors Saturday night.

Max Housewright of Dallas spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hackler of Dallas spent the week-end with relatives and friends.

MILLIGAN
Miss Cleo Giles

Dock Holder, who lost his barn by fire some few weeks ago has built a new barn.

Herman Giles and wife and Hubert Quillin of Fort Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byler and family last Sunday.

There will be singing at Mt. Zion church next Thursday night, Feb. 22. Everybody invited.

This community was visited by rain and wind storm Saturday night.

Onion setting has been the order of the day in this vicinity the past two weeks,

Charlie Lovelady and wife of Chambersville were Sunday evening guests of Lem Burnside and family.

Willard Mason of Bonham is visiting Lem Burnside and family this week.

Clyde Walthall of McKinney is visiting his brother, Rurol Walthall, and family, of this place.

G. C. Ingram, Shorty Ingram, Ray Byler and wife of Allen were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byler.

Johnnie Poston and wife of the Higgins community attended singing at Mt. Zion last Thursday night.

ARTHUR A. BAGWILL SENDS GOOD CHEER

A. A. (Arthur) Bagwill is the editor and owner of the Plano Star-Courier and Frisco Journal—two Collin county newspapers. For fifteen years, he worked for these papers. He is a real newspaperman, this office turning out no other kind. Of course, he likes these editors and these editors love Arthur. In a recent issue of the Plano Star-Courier, Arthur had this nice, friendly article about our 50th (Golden) Anniversary Edition:

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FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY.

"The Weekly Democrat-Gazette of McKinney, Tom W. Perkins and Walter B. Wilson, owners and publishers, observed its Fiftieth Birthday, February 8. The issue of that date contained twenty-two pages, and was chuck full of interesting news items and advertisements from McKinney's progressive and wide awake merchants, who extended congratulations to the publishers upon the occasion of the Semi-Centennial Birthday of this valuable paper. The Weekly Democrat-Gazette is Collin county's oldest publication, and has kept pace with the times, and has been a power in molding public opinion in this county and state. Messrs Perkins and Wilson also publish the Daily Courier-Gazette, Collin county's only daily newspaper. This editor extends congraulations."

ASH GROVE
By Mrs. Ivn Brown

We are glad to report C. G. Carter, who has been sick the past two weeks, now able to sit up most of the time.

Ferguson (Chick) Carter of near Ardmore, Okla., visited his mother, Mrs. J. F. Carter, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randell Brown of Dallas and Billy Brown of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. John T. Brown Saturday.

Dude Hall has been helping his father, K. Hall, of Altoga, build a new barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kissinger of near Rhea Mills visited the latter's parents Monday night.

Bob Johnson is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Johnson.

Miss Ruby Carter is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robinson near Frisco this week.

Miss Hattie Christian of near Rhea Mills visited Miss Alma Brown recently.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Davis of Electra visited the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Carter last week.

Otto Carter visited his brother, Bruce Carter, and wife, in McKinney Friday night.

J. O. Pell and daughters, Misses Hazel and Ruth, visited in Terrell Monday.

Mrs. Walter Pell has been attending the bedside of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Johnnie Young, of Kelley who is real sick with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pell, Misses Ruby Carter, Hazel and Ruth Pell were bedtime visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Farley of Bloomdale Tuesday.

Mrs. J. O. Pell is on the sick list.

Mrs. Leona Cox has been suffering with an abscessed tooth.

Miss Iva Myrtle Hume of Lone Elm visited Mrs. Pell recently.

VERONA
Mrs. M. L. Stroup

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Reynolds visited his parents at Snow Hill recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat King and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Price at Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Evans, recently.

Mrs. C. L. Stroup spent last week with her sister, Mrs. George Button, at Little Elm.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Womble of Knox City spent a few days last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Ada Womble.

Mr. and Mrs. Durward McTee of Dallas spent one night last week with his uncle, J. W. McTee, and family. Durward is recovering from a serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McTee and twin sons, Jack and Junior, of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McTee recently.

Mrs. J. C. Tranthem is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Anderson, in Dallas for a few weeks.

Marvin Harper has purchased a Dodge Sedan; J. T. Grisham has purchased a Ford and T. A. and Buddy Brockman have purchased Chevrolets.

Mr. and Mrs. Bee Recer and daughter, Wanda Fay, have moved to McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Recer have moved into the house vacated by Bee Recer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stroup spent Tuesday night with their son, Karl Stroup, and family, in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gifford have been visiting relatives here from Dallas. They will move from Dallas to St. Louis in the near future.

Little Johnnie Stewart was on the sick list a few days last week. He has recovered.

Mrs. Lola Nesbitt of Longview has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams, for a few days.

Miss Fay Stroup accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stroup of Altoga to Dallas where they spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Karl Stroup and son, Richard.

Richard Stroup has concluded a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A .C. Stroup and returned to his home in Dallas.

FAYBURG
Jack Vanbevers

Miss Roxie Cain spent the week-end with her parents.

R. D. Young spent the week-end with Mr. Richeston.

Bennett Thompson and wife spent the week-end with Mrs. E Thompson.

G. C. Gideon ha sbeen spending the week in Dallas with his daughter who has been sick.

Miss Adie Vanbevers spent one day last week with Miss Hattie Reynolds.

Hubert Gideon was in Dallas Thursday.

Mrs. Barton Baker was shopping in Farmersville Saturday.

Mrs. Bratcher spent Sunday with Mrs. Vanbevers.

DEATH CALLS R. L. M'CLURE AT HOME HERE

Robert Lonzo McClure, aged 60 years, 3 months and 27 days, passed away at his late residence 610 West Louisiana street last (Tuesday) morning at 9:45 o'clock after an extended illness. About three years ago he suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he never recovered.

The deceased was born March 2, 1874, in Tennessee but came to Texas in young manhood, having continuously resided in this state. He lived for many years at Westminster in this county, and about six years ago moved to McKinney where he had since resided. He was engaged in farming until his health became impaired. He was well-known over the county and had many friends in those communities where he had made his home.

Besides his wife, he is survived by seven children. One son preceded him in death a few years ago.

The surviving children are: Bill and Von Ray McClure, both business men of Clyde, Texas; G. D. McClure of Abilene; Dick McClure of Oklahoma City; Choice McClure, associated with the J. C. Penney company store in this city; Miss Verna McClure, a teacher in the Bush School, nine miles southwest of McKinney; and Miss Eva McClure, a McKinney High school student.

Three half brothers survive. They are Elmer and Ernest McClure of Bonham and Edgar McClure of Paris.

The funeral services were held at the Baptist church in Westminster Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock conducted by Dr. J. H. Cozad, pastor of the First Baptist church and Dr. Clifford S. Weaver, pastor of the First Christian church, both of this city. Interment followed in the cemetery at Westminster with the C. C. Harris Funeral home in charge.

Active pallbearers were Den Lorance, Auda Johnson, Arthur Moss, John Noah Hendricks, Varlia Giles and Otis Johnson.

Honorary pallbearers were: Hon. Wallace Hughston, Chas. M. Cooper, Ed Blakeman, Lonnie Sears, Rodney McLeod, S. C. Stephens, W. A. Pace, A. H. Eubanks, W. A. McDougal, W. B. Trice and Will Brinlee.

Funeral Services For Henry Taylor Held at McKinney

Funeral services for Henry Taylor, 106, Confederate veteran, were held Thursday afternoon at McKinney where the body was conveyed Thursday morning from Wichita Falls by the Hines mortuary. Mr. Taylor died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Martha Clark, 100 Twenty-third street, in Wichita Falls.

He was born near Smithville, Tenn., Dec. 26, 1827, and moved to Texas when 47 years old. He first settled at McKinney and moved to Wichita Falls in 1933. Mr. Taylor fought in a majority of the battles of the civil war following the battle of Shiloh. He was severely injured once.

Three sons and three daughters survive.—Wichita Falls Times.

NEGRO NO-BILLED IN JACK HERNDON KILLING

Alto McGowan, 30, negro, was no-billed by the grand jury Saturday on a charge he murdered Jack Herndon, 32, in a pistol duel Feb. 11 in the San Jacinto drug store, Dallas. Testimony at the examining trial caused Worsham also, negro, at the negro bailee McGowan fired the bullet that killed Herndon.

LUCAS
Miss Tressye Spurgin

Bro. Granville Walker filled his regular appointment here Sunday. Bro. Patrick Henry preached here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Richards of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Graham.

Mrs. Charlie Anderhub, Mrs. Buddie Graham and son, Jerry, spent Friday with Mrs. Willie Spurgin.

Miss Connie Wisen spent the week-end with Miss Cappie Gunter.

Miss Loleita Coffey spent the week-end in McKinney.

Stewart Jernigan spent the week-end with relatives in McKinney.

Mrs. Elmer Stratton and son, Mann, visited Mrs. A. Brown, of Wylie, Saturday.

On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 17, Mrs. Fitzhugh Deal was given a miscellaneous shower at the home of her mother, Mrs. I. E. Atchley. She received many nice and useful gifts. Mrs. Atchley was assisted by her daughters in serving hot chocolate and cake to the guests.

COL. W. E. TALBOT ENCYCLOPEDIA TEXAS INDUSTRIES

WAS FEDERAL CENSUS DIRECTOR—VISITS McKINNEY TUESDAY

COL. W. E. TALBOT

Col. W .E. Talbot, state agency director of the Southland Life Insurance company, and D. G. "Doc" Liggett, District manager, were in McKinney, Tuesday, on business connected with the big Texas life insurance company that they represent, and whose district representative at McKinney is R. D. Erwin. They went from McKinney to Sherman and thence to Denison.

Col Talbot was District Director for this part of the state for the 1930 United States Federal Census. Like everything else that he is connected with, he put the job over in a big, satisfactory way and made numerous new friends in McKinney and throughout Collin county.

While here, he called on A. Hardy Eubanks, one of his banker friends, and dropped by to see these editors and perhaps others who had assisted him in the census organization set-up for our city and county four years ago.

There is no man in the state who knows more about Texas industries and production—actual or potential, then does Col. W. E. Talbot.

In McKinney 25 Years Ago

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(February 25, 1909.)

W. C. Killingsworth of Allen is a McKinney visitor today.

J. J. Miller, Melissa farmer, renews for the Daily Courier-Gazette and takes the Dallas News at clubbing rate.

Miss Vick Powers, who has been quite ill at Dr. Caldwell's sanitarium, is now on the road to recovery.

Miss Annie Curtis has about recovered from a recent operation for appendicitis. She was a patient in Dr. Wiley's sanitarium.

Mrs. F. M. Thompson and daughter, Miss Leslie, have returned from a several days visit, at Allen.

Mrs. J. C. Hoole, milliner at Frank Emerson's store, has an advertisement elsewhere in this paper. She has just returned from the New York market.

T. C. Perry and son, Lynn, of Fort Worth, are visiting their daughters and sisters, Mesdames W. R. Abernathy and O. E. Smith, in McKinney, today.

J. N. Ellenburg dropped in to leave a couple of dollars on his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription. We appreciate his friendship and continued patronage.

MARCH 19 IS DELINQUENT TAX WEEK IN TEXAS

W. P. Abernathy and Earl Walker, both former presidents of the McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce, and prominent in Texas Jaycee activities, Mr. Abernathy being a State and National director of Junior C. of C., attended a meeting of state directors of their organization in Fort Worth Thursday.

This meeting was called by President E. N. Ratliff of the Texas Jaycee organization to formulate plans for Delinquent Tax Week, which will be observed during the week of March 19 when an effort will be made to have delinquent or back taxes paid in to the state. At the Fort Worth meeting, the Jaycees were told that there are millions in delinquent taxes that need to be paid.

No forceful methods will be employed in the drive, but merely an appeal to all taxpayers will be made, so as to relieve the burden on those taxpayers who are paid up to date.

Delinquent taxpayers make it more difficult on those who do pay. If all taxes were paid up, the burden would be much lighter on all.

Victor Bouldin of Mineral Wells, state chairman of the Jaycee Delinquent Tax committee, outlined the plan at the Fort Worth meeting, at which Jaycees were present from all parts of the state, including San Antonio, Pampa, Houston, McKinney, Dallas and numerous other points.

Mr. Bouldin explained that if the Delinquent Tax Week is successful in this state it may be adopted by the National Jaycee organization as a nation-wide Jaycee project.

Details of the outlined campaign were explained by Messrs. Abernathy and Walker at a meeting of the Board of Directors held here Friday afternoon and called by the chairman of the board, W. W. Taylor.

WASHINGTON'S MEMORY HONORED

McKinney paused Thursday to pay honor and tribute to the memory, on his 202nd birthday anniversary ,of George Washington, "first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

Many holidays, half-holidays programs and other observances marked the birthday celebration in McKinney.

The Boyd High school students enjoyed a delightful chapel program on Washington, Thursday morning, while Thursday night the L. A. Scott Junior High school combined an open house, a Washington program and a memorial for another great man —L. A. Scott, who passed away only recently and who meant much to the McKinney Public school system.

The post office was closed all day, there being no city or rural free delivery. The two banks were also closed.

McKinney clubs and organizations have been carrying out the Washington motif in their meetings for the past several days with Washington programs featuring.

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CHEV. "6" 1929	11.95	CHEV. "4" 1928	8.95
CHEV. "6" 1930-31	12.75	CHEV. "6" 1929-30	10.25
CHEV. "6" 1932	13.50	CHEV. "6" 1931-32	11.15
PLYMOUTH "U" "PB"	6.15	Plymouth 1929-30	19.85
PLYMOUTH "PA"	4.75	Plymouth 1931-32	18.05

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Spring Opening

Friday, March 2 AT 2 P. M.

McKinney's Newest Store on the West Side of the Square will swing open its doors Friday, March 2nd, 2 p. m., and Mr. and Mrs. McAlexander, Mrs. Pete Lucas and others will be pleased to have you call and inspect their New Store.

This celebration will be featured with some very special prices on Ready-to-Wear, Millinery, Notions and Men's Furnishings.

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SCOUTS ANSWER CHALLENGE OF ROOSEVELT

Answering the challenge of President Franklin Delano Roosevelt, delivered on February 10, "Scout Birthday," to all Boy Scouts of the nation, members of local Scouting organizations, approximately fifty strong, started out on a house-to-house canvass at the city Saturday morning, soliciting discarded clothing, furniture, bedding and other things which will prove of service to those in need.

The Boy Scouts will gather up these articles, the Red Cross or some other charitable agency having charge of the distribution of all such clothing and household effects. The Scouts are making a petition of each house where such necessities are promised them.

This drive will continue every afternoon this week, closing Saturday, March 3. Trucks will be furnished to gather up these necessities by the T. P. & L. company of which H. S. Ware is manager, and by others over the city.

Plans for this drive were made following the Court of Honor meeting held Friday night at the District courtroom. Officers of the different troops, Scoutmasters and Scout Executive W. G. Echols planned the drive.

Scoutmaster Tom Greer of Troop 204 of the First Baptist church is in charge of the drive in the southern part of the city, while F. E. Woodruff, Scoutmaster of the First Presbyterian troop, is in charge of the drive in the northern section of the city.

Miss Vivian Patterson of Weston, whose marriage to Gene Haggard of Sherman, has been announced for March 10, was honored by Mrs. H. E. Button, Mrs. T. C. Mitchell, Mrs. Ross Chandler and Miss Marie Hamilton with a miscellaneous gift shower Friday afternoon, Feb. 23, in the home of Mrs. Chandler. Spring flowers were used in decorations, and refreshments were served to forty-one guests.

MILK PRICES RISE TO AUGUST LAST YEAR LEVEL

A Sherman dispatch of February 19 states that a rise of three cents in the price of milk per pound of butterfat has been posted by the Meadolake Milk Products company here and the Kraft-Phenix Cheese company at Denison. This brings the price to 27c, the highest quotation since Aug. 1, 1933, and this price will prevail for at least two weeks.

Prices during the last twelve months started at 20c on March 1, 1933, rose to 22c April 15, then to a high of 28c on May 15, changing Aug. 15 to 24c then to 23c on Sept. 15, which price was maintained until Jan. 1 when the price dropped to a low of 17c. On Jan. 15 the new rise began, finally reaching 27c on Feb. 15.

J. S. Hand And Family Move To Plainview

The following news item appeared in a recent issue of the Canyon (Texas) paper:

"J. S. (Pinky) Hand left Tuesday with his family for Plainview, where he has been transferred by the Magnolia company. Mr. Hand has had charge of the company's business in Canyon for several years and was promoted in making the move to Plainview. He will have charge of the district warehouse which served the central plains section."

The item is of local interest, since Mr. Hand and family formerly resided in McKinney when he was employed by the Magnolia company. His wife is a sister of Mrs. W. L. Watkins of this city.

Rev. C. N. Hedges of Amarillo, Baptist minister, has moved to McKinney, and will reside here in the future.

PROGRAM GIVEN IN HONOR LATE L. A. SCOTT

Only two portraits are to be seen in the spacious auditorium of the L. A. Scott Junior High school, McKinney's newest and one of its most substantial group of seven school buildings. They are the portraits of Gen. George Washington and of the late lamented L. A. Scott, veteran school board member for many years who recently passed away.

Thursday night in this same spacious auditorium, the patrons, friends, students and faculty members of this fine modern school paid tribute to these two great men, one a national leader, and the other a local leader. They are—Washington, "Father of His Country," and L. A. Scott, the guiding force in the building and expansion of McKinney's wonderful public free school system over a period of more than 20 years.

Preceding a well rounded program, which paid tribute to these men, the patrons and friends of the school were escorted through the building, shown examples of the handiwork of the students in the different classes and clubs and shown every courtesy by the teachers and students. It was an "Open House" observance.

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Excellent Program Given.

The many patrons and friends of the school, who had not previously been inside its doors, were surprised at the extreme neatness of the building, at the creditable handiwork of the students and promptly became steadfast boosters for L. A. Scott Junior High. But, they were even more surprised at the excellent program which the students put on for their benefit and in which they displayed rare talent for children. Address of welcome was given by Prof. N. C. Smart, principal of Junior High; Prof. Jack R. Ryan, City Superintendent of Schools, presenting Walter B. Wilson, president of the School Board, who paid deserved tribute to the late L. A. Scott.

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New Plan Explained.

Prof. N. C. Smart, principal, explained in his address of welcome that the L. A. Scott Junior High school was trying to develop its students in the tender, adolescent "teens" into real men and women, to train and prepare them for the bigger job which is waiting for them in Boyd Senior High school. "Therefore," he said, "we have come to realize that it is necessary that these young men and women be trained not only along educational lines but also in other character building lines.

"This year, we have given them more control in the way of partial school management than ever before, especially in the halls and on the stairways, where order is maintained by student supervisors. We also have one study hall period which is conducted entirely by students. In order to put this over, we have depended on the intelligence and cooperation of the students and they have come through. We have also instituted an 'Activities Period.' One period each week is for assembly, one for which periods is given over a month to an outsider and the remainder, the students conduct."

Prof. Smart also stated that the school now boasts a total of fourteen clubs, supervised by faculty members, who are giving freely of their time to these endeavors, although their educational work is the same. These fourteen clubs include a Girls Choral club, Basket Weaving club, Garden club, Hobby club, Coping Saw club, A Harmonica club, two Reading clubs, two Needlecraft clubs and four Dramatic clubs.

Prof. Smart stated that they were training the students on proper manners, dignity in public and otherwise fitting them in an all-around way for their future citizenship and to ease the burden of higher education which will come later. He closed by saying that "We are trying to make this an ideal place for your boy and your girl, and I believe we are succeeding."

Prof. Jack R. Ryan, city superintendent of public schools, made a brief address, praising Prof. Smart and the Junior High faculty for their efforts and for taking onto their shoulders the added efforts in addition to their regular school duties of more fully developing McKinney's school children for high school.

Tribute to L. A. Scott.

Mr. Wilson, who has served with Mr. Scott throughout most of the latter's more than twenty year on the Board, had personal knowledge of the character and worth of the wonderful service that the recently deceased ex-member of the Board had rendered to the children, schools and taxpayers of McKinney. He characterized Mr. Scott as a philanthropist in the truest sense in aiding in a practical way, numerous worthy but homeless men and women to acquire farms of their own; during his active business career of about 60 years, first at Melissa, and then at McKinney. Although he was modest to a fault about it, he sprang from noble forbears back through many generations of patriotic men and women, business, political, military and professional leaders and especially pioneers in educational matters. His cultured pioneer mother taught her own and other children free in a log house on their farm that her gallant husband built for the accommodation of the community before the coming of the free school era. His father was one of the founders and first regents of the Texas A. & M. college, the Texas Christian university and the Prairie View State Normal college for colored pupils of the state. Mr. Scott was essentially a builder. His success as an executive in the business world multiplied his influence in behalf of public schools—first, at Melissa, then at McKinney. While he never would consider elective office with money salary, yet he willingly accepted election to School Board membership without money reward, because of his sheer love of children and pride in helping rising gerenations to acquire public school education and build characters of integrity and honor. His more than twenty years service on the local School Board was termed the Golden Era of school development and expansion in McKinney's more than sixty year public free school history. Her physical properties in the way of seven substantial school buildings and spacious school campuses were chiefly acquired under his regime. With the unselfish cooperation of such other School Board members as Capt. J. L. Greer, Judge M. G. Abernathy, Senator J. R. Gough, George Wilcox, J. Perry Burrus and J. W. Webb, all deceased, and others, McKinney schools were lifted from an empty treasury and only one small brick school building and a rating at the foot in affiliation with the State Board of Education to its present commanding place at the top of affiliated High schools of all Texas in units of affiliation and value and equipment of physical property. The teaching standard was steadily raised through his encouragement; diplomas of our high school graduates became under his administration to be recognized and fully accepted by all higher institutions of learning without further examination. Mr. Scott would not allow his private interests and responsibilities to take precedence over his School Board duties. He freely gave of his valuable time to financing the schools, almost their daily visitation, personal conferences with Superintendents J. H. Hill and J. S. Carlisle, and other teachers on their problems. He kept a vigilent eye on construction progress and even attended to the details of current expenditures. He enjoyed the presence and association of children and found in helping them to grow-up into worthy manhood and cultured womanhood, a rich reward for all of his sacrifices of time and money contributed to the cause of promoting public school education. Mr. Wilson asserted that it was fitting that the overflow audience, that crowded every available space in the big school auditorium, should pause in its interesting program to pay tribute to this public free school leader and benefactor. It was also appropriate and fitting that this great open meeting of teachers, pupils, patrons and taxpayers assemble in the L. A. Scott Junior High School building, christened by the city several years ago, as an enduring monument to his name and that will now abide through coming generations of school children passing through its portals as a proud memorial to his memory and honored name.

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Splendid Program.

The excellent program given by the clubs, organizations and departments of the school was preceded by a splendid program by the High school orchestra under the leadership of Prof. Ralph E. Frazier, director. The program follows:

Orchestra music, Ralph E. Frazier, director.

Welcome, N. C. Smart, principal.

Tribute to L. A. Scott, Walter B. Wilson.

Girl's Choral club, Miss Lillian Rickman, director.

Pageant, "The Making of America," Members of Dramatic clubs directed by Mrs. Earl Wolford, Miss Ruth Graves, Miss Ethel Russell and Mrs. Bertha Parker.

Harmonica club, Miss Venita Morrow, director.

Physical Education, pupils of the department, Miss Vera Hayes, director.

Committees: Reception—Miss Beatrice Burgess, Miss Louise Harrison, Miss Bernice Scott, N. C. Smart, Miss Venita Morrow.

Exhibits—Mrs. George P. Brown, J. T. Rollins, Miss Allie Rodgers, Miss Lillian Rickman, Miss May Hill.

Entertainment—A. A. Alexander, Mrs. Bertha Parker, Miss Vera Hayes, Miss Ruth Graves, Miss Ethel Russell, Mrs. Earl Wolford.

THESE EDITORS GET FLOWERS

The Santa Anna News, published in Coleman county, is one of that section's best and most readable weekly newspapers. The News carries at its masthead the following slogan: "He Profits Most Who Serves Best." Flowers, we say so, for these editors. In a recent issue of that fine paper, ancnt the 55th Golden Anniversary of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette contained the following:

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AN INTERESTING NEWSPAPER.

"A very interesting twenty-two page edition, celebrating the Fiftieth Anniversary of the McKinney Weekly Democrat-Gazette at McKinney, Texas, has heached our desk.

"The present editors, Senator Tom W. Perkins and Walter R. Wilson, have been at the helm of this fine weekly paper for almost thirty-five years, and two more courageous and enterprising men would be hard to find in any town or place. Under their leadership and management, the paper has developed into one of the best and most influential weekly papers in the state, and their leadership as citizens and community builders is reflected by the progress McKinney has made during their efforts there.

"Messers. Tom W. Perkins and Walter R. Wilson encouraged industry and promoted community projects in connection with their other responsibilities, and were fortunate to have a town and county composed of live business men who supported them in their work and helped them to build a bigger and better town and county.

"We congratulate the firm of Perkins and Wilson upon their continued success in the newspaper realms, and the town of McKinney upon their support and cooperation of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. They also run and edit the Daily Courier-Gazette, now in its thirty-eighth year of continuous publication."

LIONS TO MEET WICHITA FALLS IN REGIONAL MEET

The McKinney High Lions, winners of District No. 11 of the Texas Interscholastic League boys' basketball tournament, will meet the Wichita Falls High Coyotes in the first game of the Region 3 tournament at the North Texas State Teachers college gym, in Denton, Friday night. Wichita Falls is winner of District No. 9.

The second game will bring together the famous Denton High Broncos, winners of District No. 10, the Purdon High boys, of Navarro county ,winners of District No. 12. Time for the final game has not been definitely set.

The Lions started workouts for the regional meet at the municipal coliseum court Monday afternoon, amid congratulations from all McKinney for their fine work in winning the district tournament held at S. M. U. in Dallas Friday and Saturday. The Lions defeated Dallas Tech, Mabank, Bryce and Highland Park to gain the district crown.

The Regional 3 tournament is for the winners of what is commonly termed the Wichita Falls, Fort Worth, Dallas and Waco district meet held in that city, while Denton won at Fort Worth, McKinney at Dallas, and Purdon nosed out Waco, 30-29 in the final game at Waco.

The winner of Region 3 as well as the winners of the seven other regions over the state will go to the state meet at Austin on March 9 and 10.

In winning the District 11 tournament McKinney flashed the best defensive play in the state so far reported in holding their rivals, the Highland Park Highlanders to a single field goal and 6 points, while piling up 30 points for themselves.

The Athens High Hornets, five times state champions, seven times district champions and twice national high school champions, won their district tournament by defeating Canton High, 44-17. They are heavy favorites to again win the state championship.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Dan Scott visited in Ft. Worth Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Job Dowell of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ollie Smith, Monday and Tuesday.

Woodall Durham has gone to Dallas to accept a position as salesman in the shoe department of Volk's store. Woodall is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Durham of this city. He is an ambitious and affable young man, being courteous and accommodating.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bass attended the District 11 Boys' basketball tournament at the S. M. U. gym Saturday. Their son, Bobby Bass, is a regular guard on the McKinney High Lions team, which was victorious in the meet.

Among the relatives of Frank Klepper who witnessed the presentation of the beautiful mural painting at the McKinney post office, Tuesday afternoon, were his sisters, Mrs. Wiley B. McKinney of McKinney and Mrs. G. A. Barnard of Plano; also his niece, Mrs. Ferd Barnard of Plano. Mr. Klepper's old father, J. S. Klepper, who is also now living at McKinney with his daughter and husband, was unable to attend the beautiful ceremony.

J. S. Vanbever, an excellent citizen of the Blue Ridge section of our county, was in the city Monday. We had the pleasure of greeting him and receiving a dollar to pay the freight on the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to March 1, 1935. Mr. Vanbever was born in Bell county, Kentucky, but came to Texas about forty years ago, since living in the Fayburg-Blue Ridge portion of the county. Mr. Vanbever was formerly foreman of the road crew in Collin county Pct. No. 3. We have long enjoyed his friendship and patronage.

LATE GENERAL NEWS

Charles F. Adams, Secretary of the Navy under Hoover, was called before the National House of Representatives Naval Affairs Subcommittee today for questioning in regard to airplane and engine contracts awarded by his department during his period of service.

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Col. L. H. Brittin, former vice president of the Northwest Airways, completed his ten-day jail term for contempt of the Senate Saturday and set out to try to make a new start in the aviation industry.

His funds depleted, the 55-year-old former air line official said he would start looking for a new job soon. He hoped he would be able to make some new connection in aviation.

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Three persons were killed near Whitechurch, Kan., Saturday when a Union Pacific Lines bus bound from Kansas City, Mo., to Topeka, Kan., collided with a truck during a blinding snowstorm.

One of the dead was Edgar Keath, driver of the bus. The others were passengers, a white man and a negro, whose names were not immediately learned.

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The Reconstruction Finance Corporation will ask Congress to broaden its powers so that it may build up the nation's export trade, it was announced in Washington Monday.

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Winter tornadoes cut an erratic path of destruction across three Southern states Sunday night, leaving in their wake more than a score of dead and dozens of injured.

Incomplete information from the stricken communities, many of them virtually cut off from communication, placed the fatalities at thirteen in Alabama, eight in Mississippi and two in Georgia.

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Nine Dartmouth students, at Hanover, N. H., all members of the Theta Chi fraternity, were killed Sunday by carbon monoxide poisoning while alseep in the fraternity house.

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A fast Pennsylvania Railroad passenger train, bound from Akron to Pittsburg crashed from the track on an elevation in the latter city Monday night killing at least ten of its passengers and injuring thirty-seven others. It was less than a mile from the central station in Pittsburg when the accident occurred.

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Three deputy sheriffs with warrants for the arrest of two men and a woman were on their way Wednesday to Stillwell, Okla., with the hope that with the men and woman back in Dallas, the robbery of the R. P. Henry bank at Lancaster Tuesday at noon would be solved. The warrants were issued on complaints sworn out against the trio charging them with theft of an automobile.

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Washington, D. C. dispatches of the last two days tell of congressional modification of the National Economy Act in favor of veterans compensation as effected by the Economy Act that went into effect, March 20, 1933.

On Monday evening, the United States Senate, by a vote of 51 to 40 restored the Spanish-American War Veterans benefits to what they were when the Economy Act went into effect, March 20, 1933, less ten per cent reduction, the same as veterans of the Civil War.

Majority Leader, Senator Joe T. Robinson, Democrat, of Arkansar, warned the Senate if the bill survived in its present form, President Roosevelt would veto it.

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Following his requests for public criticism from the public concerning the NRA program, a barrage of suggestions and criticisms bombarded Gen. Hugh S. Johnson. The critics spared nothing connected with the NRA blue eagle.

Mrs. Clyde Lewis, who is taking a beauty course in Dallas, attended the Weichsel's spring beauty school at the Baker hotel.

MISS LOUISE BERRY BECOMES BRIDE OF ROBERT TUCKER

Miss Louise Berry, attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Berry, and Robert (Bob) Tucker, son of Mrs. Press Tucker, were married Sunday in Durant, Okla. They were accompanied by the groom's sister, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon B. Shrader, of Dallas.

The bride is a young woman of refinement and many sweet virtues. She graduated from Boyd High school in 1930 and later attended Hall's Business school.

The groom is also a graduate of McKinney High school and is an ambitious young man, who possesses a wide acquaintanceship. At the present time he is associated with the Jess Burton grocery store as a salesman.

The happy couple are making their home in McKinney on Sherman street. They are receiving congratulations from a wide circle of friends upon their marriage.

Burglars entered the Santa Fe Railway station in Farmersville and stole $500 worth of shoes and other merchandise. Officers said they had no idea who committed the burglary.

Mr and Mrs. Sol Weisman have returned from a three months' visit in Little Rock, Ark., and Memphis, Tenn.

Col. Dick DeArmond, Frank Wheatley, Earl Milstead and A. J. (Bandy) Willis are serving on the Federal Grand Jury in Sherman this week.

Mrs. Linkenhoger of Abilene is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Hughston.

Mrs. C. E. Burge continues quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Brownlee.

Luther Doyle Gilbert and Miss Clara Belle Moreland, both of this city, were married here Saturday night by Rev. J. Ben Snider. The marriage was performed in the home of Rev. Snider. Mr. and Mrs. Silas McGarrah of this city accompanied the couple. The newlyweds will continue to reside in McKinney.

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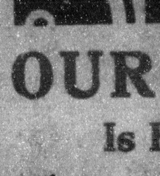

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W. B. M'DONALD OF FORT WORTH VISITS OLD HOME

William B. McDonald, 1220 East Maddox Street, Fort Worth, and son, J. C. McDonald, of Oklahoma City, were in McKinney Wednesday, favoring the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette with a call. Will B. McDonald was born on the old homestead of his grandfather, the late A. J. Hall, three miles northwest of McKinney and was reared in that same community. He is a son of W. T. McDonald, Route 1, Forestburg, Montague county, Texas, to which place he moved from McKinney more than twenty years ago. W. T. McDonald and wife are both still living. Mrs. W. T. McDonald was formerly Miss Addie Hall. She is a sister of W. A. (Austin) Hall of this city. W. T. McDonald and wife lived on their farm just northwest of McKinney until they moved to their present home in Montague county. W. T. McDonald is a brother of Mrs. Lucy Herndon and of Mrs. R. J. Roberts, both still living, just northwest of town. These editors enjoyed meeting up with our Fort Worth friend, who has been with the Burrus Mill & Elevator company at Fort Worth ever since he moved to that city in 1910.

Mrs. J. Leo Graham of the Forest Grove community is now getting the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, which she recently enrolled for. She and her husband reside on their own farm, which they run successfully. While at their place, we were shown an extra good span of young work mules, which Mr. Graham raised and broke. They weigh about 1600 pounds each.

Commissioner J. Wilson Spain called on us stating that he will run for re-election as Commissioner again from District No. 2. Makes a good Commissioner. Fine man. Says that he will announce in a few days, but that all of his friends can tell their friends that he is going to run.

JOHN H. CULLOM AND WIFE VISIT FRIENDS HERE

John H. Cullom and wife of Dallas, were McKinney visitors Wednesday, being guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Key, Dr. Key and Mr. Cullom being brothers-in-law. These editors have known John H. Cullom for some forty years. He has been a resident of Dallas county for fifty years. Forty years ago, he started the Garland News, owning and editing it for many years.

He is a past president of the Texas Press association. Being a newspaper man, he naturally drifted into politics. So, Gov. C. A. Culberson appointed him Secretary of State. John "degenerated" a little bit, selling the Garland News. He then ran for district clerk of Dallas county. Was elected for three terms. Then he ran and was elected tax collector of Dallas county for six years, the best paying office in the county. The last year he was in the tax collector's office, he collected $36,000,000 and was "out of balance" forty cents, that being in his favor.

It is said that John H. Cullom knows more people, personally, than any man in Dallas county, and is that county's most popular man. He is a most likable fellow, kind and always courteous. He is a 32-Degree Mason and Shriner. He signed this editor's petition to join the Texas Press association forty years ago when the press met in San Antonio. Fifteen years later, at a press meeting at Corpus Christi, he made the nominating speech and the writer was elected president of the Texas Press association. No finer man ever lived than John H. Cullom. These editors appreciate his friendly visit. Come more often, friend John.

Mrs. E. S. Ross, Box 635, Carnegie, Oklahoma, sends $1.50 renewal subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year in advance. We appreciate her continued loyalty to her old Texas home family newspaper.

FIFTY YEARS—GOING STRONG

The Dallas Evening Journal is a by-product of Texas' oldest business institution—The Dallas Morning News. Both are real, sure-enough newspapers. None are better in Texas or elsewhere. The Paris Morning News, which is in its sixty-fifth year, edited by A. G. (Pat) Mayse, is a real newspaper, too. The Dallas News and Journal, as well as the Paris Morning News, have each written nice things about the Weekly Democrat-Gazette's Fiftieth Golden Anniversary. Recently, the Dallas Journal said, editorially:

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FLOWERS, WE SAY SO.

"McKinney has in the Weekly Democrat-Gazette a newspaper Fifty Years Old. Companion paper to it is the Daily Courier-Gazette. Their contemporary, the Paris Morning News, (which is going on sixty-five years old itself), generously remarks:

"Of these two papers it probably can be said that they have carried more words of commendation of local citizens and more pleas for the welfare of the community than any other newspapers in the State of similar age.

"A phase of newspapers of such age that is frequently overlooked by the average reader is one of the many important by-products of the publication. Tom W. Perkins and Walter B. Wilson, (publishers of the McKinney Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette), have, in their long years in business, looked more to the good they could do than have to the dollars they could make."

"It reads as eulogistic as an obituary, doesn't it? But the Weekly Democrat-Gazette and the Daily Courier-Gazette are anything but dead. They are both lively and readable publications, Fifty Years or No Fifty Years."

JASPER ROGERS, 62, DIES AT HOME SATURDAY NIGHT

Jasper Rogers, 62 years and 20 days old, died at his home on South Wilcox street, in this city at 9:00 o'clock Saturday night, February 24. Funeral services were held last Monday morning at 11:00 o'clock at the South Wilcox Street Methodist church by the pastor, Rev. F. Lamer McGown and by E. P. Akin, pastor of the Nazarene church. Interment followed in the Pecan Grove cemetery under the direction of the Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home.

The deceased is survived by his wife and eight children, as follows: Ed, Logan and Pete Rogers, and Mrs. Kenneth Kimball, of McKinney; Miss Gertie and Jasper Rogers Jr., at home; Mrs. Gerida Teller, Bonham; and Mrs. Dollie Robertson of Tennessee.

He is also survived by a brother, Bob Rogers, and a sister, Mrs. Cord Raper, both of Tennessee. Four children preceded their father to the grave.

The family had been residing in McKinney for the past seven or eight years. The deceased had been in bad health for some time.

MRS. J. L. DUNCAN CALLED BY DEATH SUNDAY MORNING

Mrs. Alice Duncan, wife of the late J. L. Duncan, who died three weeks ago—Sunday, February 4—passed away at her home, corner Coleman and Erwin streets Sunday morning, Feb. 25, at 8:20 o'clock, following a week's serious illness. However, the deceased had been in ill health for the past year.

Mrs. Duncan was born in Wilson county, Tennessee, December 1, 1855, being at the time of her death, 77 years, 2 months and 24 days old. She was married to J. L. Duncan in Tennessee on September 1, 1884. The young couple came to Texas, first residing in Dallas county for a year, then coming to Collin county where they had resided since.

Funeral services were held this (Monday) afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Cottage Hill cemetery, conducted by Rev. Ben Hearn of Mineral Wells, Christian pastor of that city.

Burial followed in the Cottage Hill cemetery by the grave of her husband. The Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home had charge of burial arrangements.

The deceased is survived by three sons and two daughters, as follows: Howard Duncan of Dallas; Andrew Duncan of Route 6, McKinney; Ulric Duncan of near Sanger, Texas; Mrs. Carlton James of McKinney and Miss Willie Mae Duncan, at home. She is also survived by a brother, B. Frank Hearn, also of McKinney.

SEN. JOE MOORE WILL MAKE RACE FOR LT.-GOVERNOR

GREENVILLE MAN SERVED 14 YEARS IN THE LEGISLATURE

SENATOR JOE M. MOORE

Senator Joe M. Moore of Greenville, this district, in a brief statement announces his candidacy for lieutenant-governor. In forecasting the trend of his campaign, he says:

"Those who think there will be no issues involved in the lieutenant-governor's race need not be misled. There will be issues aplenty.

"After fourteen years continuous service in the legislature from the Hunt county district, I feel I am entitled to elevation to the position I seek. Four years of my service were spent in the house and for the last ten years I have served in the senate.

"At a later date I will discuss at some length and in detail what I conceive to be issues involved in the race."

Senator Moore has served in the Texas Legislature for fourteen years, four years as local representative of Hunt county, his home, and ten years from the Tenth Senatorial district, now composed of Collin, Hunt, Rains and Rockwall counties. He married a Collin county girl, Miss Stelzer of Celina. Louis Commins of this city and Senator Moore are brothers-in-law, having married sisters.

Senator Moore is one of the outstanding men in the Texas Senate. He has made us an able, efficient and hard-working Senator and, naturally, these editors would like to see him elected Lieutenant-Governor. He is a brilliant campaigner, a young man of fine personal appearance, and has made a record as legislator that ought to land him in the Lieutenant-Governor's office.

Miss Grace Rea has moved to McKinney from Kansas City, and has assumed charge of the beauty shop at the Cozy Barber shop on East Louisiana street. Miss Rea is a graduate of Lyons Beauty Academy at Kansas City, and is experienced in her line of work. She calls attention to very moderate prices on all kinds of beauty work through the columns of the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

L. C. Cole, 59, former resident of Plano and Richardson, died in Fort Worth. He was a member of the Baptist church. Surviving are his widow, four sons and two daughters.

J. KNOX GREER DIED SUDDENLY SUNDAY AT ANNA

Funeral services for J. Knox Greer, 59, native of this county, who died suddenly at his home in Anna, at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning, were held at Van Alstyne, last Monday afternoon, interment following in the cemetery at that place.

The deceased was a son of the late Capt. J. L. Greer, of McKinney where he attended public school. He was born at Anna. He was married to Miss Nellie Bass, a native of Grayson county, about twelve or fifteen years ago. She survives.

The deceased was a Spanish-American War veteran. For many years he had owned and operated an Anna drug store and had engaged in farming.

Up to the time of his sudden death, he had been apparently enjoying good health, engaging in conversation with his wife when stricken with the fatal heart attack, death being instantaneous.

The deceased was a brother-in-law of Dr. W. L. Bryant of Anna, whose deceased wife was formerly Miss Nannie Greer, sister of the deceased.

INTERURBAN STATION VICTIM OF ROBBERS

While scores of cars and pedestrians passed by in front of the Texas Electric Railway station on North Kentcky street, this city, Thursday evening, two masked men, concealing their identity by wearing handkerchiefs over their faces, robbed the local interurban station of nearly $200 in cash and checks, successfully making their getaway. The robbery occurred about 7:00 o'clock Thursday evening.

R. E. Burns, cashier of the interurban station, was preparing to close for the day and had just opened the safe in the company's office to deposit the day's receipts when he heard a slight noise at one of the ticket windows.

Thinking it was a patron wanting to purchase a ticket, he turned in his chair only to find himself staring at a masked man of rather heavy build, pointing a revolver in his direction in a menacing manner.

"Don't move" the man commanded as Burns attempted to rise. "Go in there and get the money," the masked bandit told his companion, likewise masked. The second intruder obeyed the other's commands, went inside the office, emptied the cash and checks into a sack he was carrying, the two leaving through the rear door of the station. They entered an automobile, the motor having been left running, heading their machine east, down the side street from the office. It is not known what direction they took after reaching Tennessee street.

In the excitement, Mr. Burns was unable to get the number of the car belonging to the robbers or to give an accurate description of their machine.

George Eubanks and Artie Sparlin, deputies of Sheriff G. J. S. Walker, made an investigation.

There was a larger amount of cash in the safe than usual, owing to the fact that the banks were closed all day Thursday, interurban officials having in the company's safe all money taken in since about 3:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

TO LET GOOD ROADS CONTRACT ON MARCH 5

County Judge J. Franz Harrington and the County Commissioners court have been advised by Frank Cawthon, member of the State Highway Department, of Dallas, that contracts will be let Monday, March 5, for the new highway from the courthouse square here to the Dallas county line, over South Tennessee street to the city limits, and thence south to the Dallas county line.

County Judge J. Frank Harrington and the county commissioners court; Mayor Joe E. Largent and the City Commission, and the Chamber of Commerce, through its highway committee, of which A. H. Eubanks is chairman, have been working faithfully for several months on these two projects—one from the courthouse, south of Tennessee street to the city limits; the other from that point south to the Dallas county line. Many trips have been made to Fort Worth, Austin and other cities by the above-mentioned public-spirited citizens in behalf of these projects, they having given freely of their valuable time and efforts along this line.

Gibb Gilchrist, state highway engineer, of Austin, advised Mr. Eubanks Friday that the highway commission had received approval of the Bureau of Public Roads of plans for these two projects in this county.

These good roads projects will prove a valuable addition to the county good roads system, while the improving of the Tennessee street, leading from the square to the city limits on the south will be another collecting link in our highway system.

As soon as this contract is let, work will start immediately, because County Judge J. Frank Harrington, the Commissioners court and other interested parties have already secured the right-of-way and had the fences moved back and the roadbed widened, leaving everything in readiness to start work as soon as possible.

According to present plans and specifications, this road will be one of the most modern and up-to-date in the state, in fact, it is to be even better than at first anticipated. Officials announce that since the new road was planned, specifications have been changed to make it an even better highway.

Federal funds will help build the highway, especially in the labor department, which will provide work for hundreds of Collin county's unemployed men, who are in need of work, thus relieving the unemployment situation greatly in McKinney and Collin county.

FORMER COLLIN MAN DIED AT MAYESVILLE, OK.

W. T. (Tom) Hood, aged 66, of Mayesville, Okla., died at his home there Sunday night at 11 o'clock. Funeral services were held this (Tuesday) afternoon at that place.

The deceased formerly lived in Collin county where he was reared in the Westminster community. About thirteen years ago he moved with his family to Mayesville where he had since resided. He is survived by three brothers and one sister, as follows: D. W. Hood of Westminster; Claud Hood of Blue Ridge; Ira Hood of Denison and Mrs. Josie Fair of Ardmore, Okla. The following children also survive: Ivy Hood of Fort Worth; Rossie Hood of Van Alstyne; Mrs. Pearl Miller, Mrs. Clemmie Walden and Mrs. Sarah Walden, all of Van Alstyne.

Noah Burchett, son of S. P. Burchett of Celina, was buried Saturday at the Crossroads cemetery. He died of tuberculosis Friday.

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M'KINNEY MASONS ENJOY MEETING IN FARMERSVILLE

Several Masons from McKinney attended the meeting in Farmersville Wednesday night, in commemoration of the birthday anniversary of George Washington. M. B. Smith, worshipful master of the Masonic lodge there, presided over the program. Inspiring talks were given by Chaplain Chas. R. Stewart, who is at the head of the CCC work in this county, and Rev. Bowen, pastor of the Methodist church in Farmersville.

The following from McKinney attended: Worshipful Master Cliff Goggans, Past Worshipful Master C. L. McTee, Past Worshipful Master W. H. Hamilton, Past Worshipful Master Tom Bailey, Hon. Grover Burton, Tax Assessor Nick Hood and Rev. Kerr. Mr. Bailey is a past Worshipful Master of the Farmersville lodge, having held that office at four different times and is still a member of that lodge. All McKinney Masons present made brief talks.

E. E. MAYES PASSES AWAY IN DALLAS HOSPITAL

E. E. Mayes, 64, of Frisco, died in a Dallas sanitarium, Friday, after only a few days' illness. His funeral was held at 3:00 o'clock last Saturday afternoon in the Byrum Funeral home, at Frisco, with interment following beside the grave of his wife in the old Bethel cemetery near that Southwest Collin town.

The deceased, Edgar Ernest Mayes, was born, March 9, 1870, on the old farm homestead of his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Mayes, a highly esteemed pioneer couple, who passed away a few years ago, here, in McKinney, where the family had moved a number of years before.

The deceased was mainly reared and received his schooling here in McKinney. He married Miss Willie Warden, daughter of the late ex-Sheriff Williams Warden, and a sister of the late Todd Warden, noted Texas and Oklahoma peace officer for many years. His wife died a little more than two years ago at their home in Frisco.

Mr. Mayes was a member of the Methodist church and spent most of his mature life in and around Frisco. He was a nephew of the late ex-Senator William Allen and wife, a wealthy philanthropic pioneer couple of West Collin, whose remains, as well as the dust of his parents, all sleep in Pecan Grove cemetery, here at McKinney.

Mr. Mayes is survived by the following children: R. A. (Dick) Mayes of Dallas, W. W. Mayes of Fort Stockton, Texas; Mrs. Hayden Holloway and Mrs. J. B. Hippie, both of San Angelo, Texas.

He is also survived by two brothers and two sisters, as follows: Dr. J. A. Mayes of Dallas; [illegible] of Anna; Mrs. T. A. Hatfield of Dallas and Mrs. Dr. J. D. Gosar of McKinney.

COTTON YIELDS TURNED IN ARE ABOVE AVERAGE

According to County Farm Agent Jack McCullough and the county-wide cotton reduction committee, composed of Henry W. Warden, Dr. W. T. Hoard and Jas. H. Merritt, the five-year average yields turned in for Collin county on the 1934-35 cotton reduction contracts are far above the five-year average yield given this county by the government. The five-year average yield given by the government is 178 pounds. The yield turned in on the contracts are far above this.

"In fact it is so much above the government figure," says Agent McCullough "that the state statistician informed us that the contracts could not be accepted as they stand. We are appealing to every farmer who has a contract to lower his yield as much as he possibly can." A letter will be sent to them asking for their cooperation along this line in a few days.

"The big trouble really lies in the fact that some have apparently turned in more acres than they have really had in cotton for the past five years," Agent McCullough said. "The Plow-up Campaign proved this. Many farmers thought they had more acres in cotton than they really did until the land was measured. When it was measured it took in many cases practically all the cotton that the farmer had to fill his contract when honestly he thought that half the cotton he had would be enough to fill the requirements of the contract.

"Collin county is up against a real problem and we are asking every farmer to do what he can to get this county accepted in the right way. Every farmer will be sent a letter in a few days, asking them to help put the county in line.

"The average weight of the bales turned by the farmers is also far above the average weight of the bales given for Collin by the government. After 22 pounds was subtracted for bagging and ties the weight of the bales given by the government for 1925 is 481 pounds; 1929, 483; 1930, 490; 1931, 492; 1932, 496. All farmers should take this into consideration."

Mrs. Will Elam of Allen, was called to Arlington on account of the death of her father, Mr. Holline.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(February 26, 1909.)

W. B. Kindle is confined to his home with a painful foot caused by erysipelas.

Dr. W. T. Hoard is having a commodious barn erected at his home place on Lamar street.

Miss Bettie Christie of Allen is the guest of McKinney friends today.

McKinney has a thriving candy factory. It works several people, and makes high quality products.

Rev. T. A. Davis was here from Farmersville last night to officiate at the Werner-Mayes nptials.

Conductor J. P. Smith of the McKinney-Elmo railroad run is off duty for a few days on account of illness. Pat Eller is substituting for him.

J. B. Vermillion of Altoga was a business visitor at our office yesterday. He is one of a family of twelve children, eleven living—nine brothers and two sisters—all grown. They are the children of the late Rev. J. H. Vermillion and wife of Altoga, but both now deceased. Two of the boys are Baptist ministers—Rev. H. F. Vermillion, Roswell, New Mexico, and Rev. L. O. Vermillion of Watson, Texas. Another one of the brothers is W. R. Vermillion, secretary to State Senator Tom W. Perkins, of Austin. One of the sisters married a preacher, Rev. Levi Dunn of Bonham, Texas.

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Start Stronger
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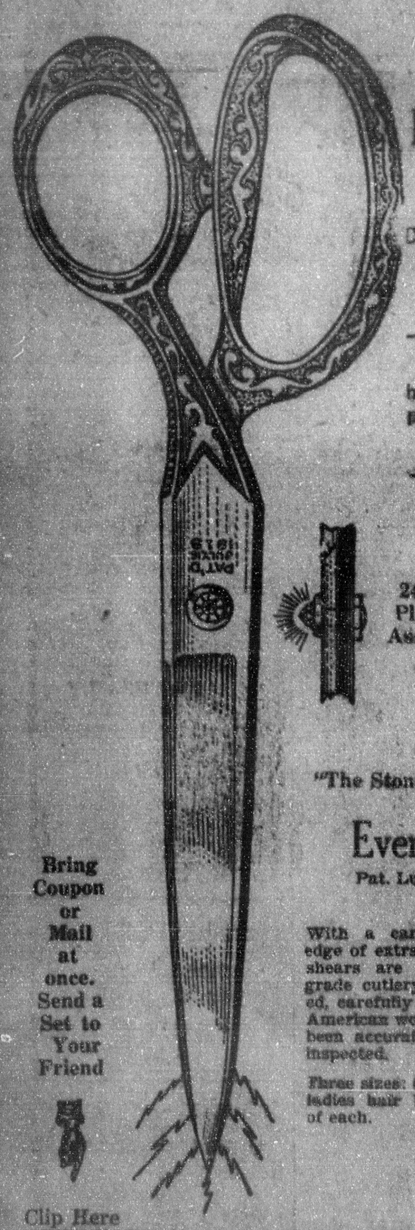

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With a carbonized cutting edge of extra quality. These shears are of the highest grade cutlery, highly nickeled, carefully made by expert American workmen and have been accurately tested and inspected.

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For your garden. Early planting almost assures a good garden.

Garden Forks	98c
Garden Hoes	75c
Garden Rakes	75c
Garden Shovels	$1.00
Garden Mattocks	$1.25

PRUNE YOUR TREES NOW

Pruning Shears	42c
Pruning Saws	$1.00
Pruning Knives	$1.25

SEEDS

Good Seeds make good gardens. We carry Ferry's Garden Seed. Shop early while the assortment is good.

J. P. DOWELL
"The Quality House" McKinney, Texas

COMING
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2 Days & Nights 2
STARTING
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55 Feet Long 55
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50 Performing Fleas 50

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First Showing in America
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Those funny birds that walk like a man. Only Live Penguins on exhibition in AMERICA.

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Over 3,000 years old. Only uncovered mummy on exhibit in the world.

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GREATEST Educational Exhibit of all time.
ADMISSION TO WHALE ONLY
10c
TO EVERYBODY
Exhibit located near Southern Pacific Depot.

MONSTER WHALE WILL ARRIVE HERE SATURDAY

A real flavor of the open sea and a tang of the deep waters may be appreciated right here in McKinney by going to the marine exhibit near Southern Pacific Depot, next Saturday and Sunday and see "Colossus" the largest whale taken out of water.

The ships bells tolls off the hours; specimens of strange fish odd bits of whaling paraphernalia, a powerful harpoon gun, and a uniformed staff of men to create the nautical atmosphere of the exhibit.

"Colossus" the huge monster of the deep weighing over sixty-eight tons and measuring 55 feet in length, lies enclosed in a glass case on a railroad car especially constructed to bear the tremendous bulk.

The task of moving the whale from the sea and on to the car was in itself a very difficult task. The car was built in extremely large portions and then run on a car ferry which was taken to a point about seventy miles off the pacific coast where "Colossus" was floating on the surface. There the car was swung overboard by huge derricks and submerged, after much maneuvering brought directly under "Colossus," then the whale and the car were hoisted on to the float. Educational lectures are given every fifteen minutes by men who are familiar with the whaling industry in all its phases.

Captain Mike Dolan famous whaling skipper is in charge of the exhibit and explains the modern as well as old time ways of whaling. There are many other attractions that are with the exhibit, including Prof. W. E. Alexander's famous London Flea Circus with the smallest performers on earth, and then there is the Old Egyptian mummy, who is claimed to be over 3000 years old, and the only one that is on exhibit today that is unwrapped. Among some of the rare animal from the sea is a giant Octopus or Devil Fish, which is the most feared of anything in the ocean.

The exhibit will be in McKinney Saturday and Sunday only, and will be open to the public from 8 a. m. until 11 p. m.

H. M. Halff, Well-Known In State, Dies Feb. 21

HENRY M. HALFF

Henry M. Halff of Richardson died Wednesday of last week in a Dallas sanitarium where he had been ill only a short time. Mr. Halff was 50, went to the Richardson community three years ago, buying a portion of the Wallis old farm one mile west of Richardson and improving it until his farm has become a show place to visitors. Mr. Halff often came to McKinney, to attend the Rotary club meeting, being an active Rotarian.

Veteran Dallas County Clerk Passes Away

JACK FISHER

Jack Fisher, 53, veteran Dallas county official, for two terms county clerk, passed away in a Dallas sanitarium last Thursday. Uncle Jack, as he was known to all, had been in ill health for some months and for several weeks it was known he could not recover.

Mr. Fisher was a son-in-law of J. K. P. Shrader of this city. This editor had the pleasure of meeting him several months ago, while on a visit to Mineral Wells. He was a man of most pleasing address. Sorry Mr. Fisher has passed on.

EDWARDS MEETS SPARKS ON LOCAL MAT PROGRAM

Billy Edwards, 205, of Kansas City, Missouri, and Al Sparks, 220 of Logan, Utah, will feature the mat card presented by Promoter Buddy Edwards for the Firemen at the Municipal coliseum here next Tuesday night, March 6. They will wrestle two out of three falls, no time limit, in the main event.

In the semi-final, Walter Miller, 200, of Memphis, Tennessee, will meet Vincent Lopez, 200, of Madrid, Spain, in a time-limit affair. All four men have appeared here before and all are favorites here.

A fast preliminary is also being arranged, according to Promoter Edwards, who also announces that regular prices will prevail. He has not picked out a referee as yet.

Dallas County Pioneer, State Senator, Dies

SENATOR WILL C. McKAMY

Scores of friends over the state were saddened last week when the news was flashed that Senator Will C. McKamy had passed away in a Dallas sanitarium following a long illness. W. C. McKamy, 72, was for many years state senator from Dallas county, stockman, farmer, for twenty years actively identified with the State Fair of Texas as having charge of the live stock department and ever foremost in all civic matters of importance to Dallas county.

Senator McKamy was born near Richardson, his ranch and farms located a few miles west of Richardson, have been for years a show place to those interested in live stock.

Mrs. W. W. Towlett, who recently moved to McKinney from Lavon had as her dinner guests Friday Mrs. W. F. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Geren, Mrs. Carl Towlett, and mother, and John McCrumen, all of Lavon, and R. W. Boyd, of McKinney.

The farm home of W. N. Waters, northwest of Allen, has been undergoing repairs and remodeling recently. The home is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Allen, Mrs. Lucille Herndon and Miss Frances Foster visited in Dallas Sunday.

"M'ALEXANDER'S" STORE TO OPEN FRIDAY, 2 P. M.

ON WEST SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE; PUBLIC INVITED

Opening of "McAlexander's", McKinney's newest dry goods and millinery store, on the west side of the square, will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) afternoon, according to G. G. McAlexander, owner and manager.

Mr. McAlexander, long in the dry goods business and thoroughly experienced in that line, will be in charge. He will be assisted by Mrs. McAlexander, Mrs. Pete Lucas, as well as by their young son, Wellington McAlexander.

McAlexander's is thoroughly modern and up-to-date in every respect, with a complete line of new wearing apaprel for both men and women, designed to please the most particular customer. The building they are occupying has been remodeled and improved, the interior being of Birds-eye Maple.

Everything will be sold at this modern store, for both men and women, except men's suits and shoes, and ladies shoes. They offer a complete line of millinery, notions and ready-to-wear goods for the ladies, and ties, hats, socks, and other articles for men.

Mr. McAlexander and others connected with the store cordially invite you to come by and pay them a visit, look their place over. They hope to provide a cordiality and warmth there that will bring back every visitor many times.

Refer to their advertisement elsewhere in today's Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

Mrs. Wes Neatnery of Farmersville is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed Blakeman, in this city.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many kind and sympathetic friends for helping to lighten the burden in our hour of deep sorrow. May God's richest blessings abide with you all, is our wish.

BUY YOUR HARNESS AT A. D. HOPE AND SONS AND SAVE MONEY.

Chickens-Turkeys

Don't take chances give your fowls and baby chicks Star Parasite Remover in drinking water. It kills disease causing worms and germs in inception. Keeps them free of lice, mites, fleas, blue bugs. Keeps their health and egg production good and saves much trouble and losses at a very small cost or your money refunded.

Mitchell's Drug Store

WRESTLING

At Municipal Coliseum, McKinney, Texas.
Tuesday, March 6, 1934.

MAIN EVENT
Billy Edwards vs. Al Sparks,
Two out of three falls
No time limit.

SEMI FINAL
Walter Miller vs. Vincent Lopez
Also Fast Preliminary.

Buddy Edwards, promoter.
Firemen, sponsors
Regular prices

YOUR MONEY BUYS MORE AT THE CHICAGO STORE

Do You Like Fine Things?
THEN BUY THESE

"FRUIT-OF-THE-LOOM" PRINTS

The Finest PONGEE FINISH Guaranteed Vat Dyes.

24c yard

Beautiful New Spring Patterns In All Attractive Designs.

On Sale Only At The Chicago Store

Peter Pan Prints, yard 18c

You all know the fine texture and high quality of Peter Pan materials! A new shipment has just arrived. Pre Shrunk!

GUARANTEED VAT-DYED
'Johnson' Pongee Prints, yd. 16c

These are the same quality that other stores sell for 17c and 19c. A good finish. 80 Square Print. Come in and see.

"Priscilla" PRINTS
A gorgeous array of New Spring Patterns and Colors. Guaranteed Fast.
14c YARD

"Joanne" PRINTS
100 Pieces of New Spring Prints, all are guaranteed.
12c YARD

"Gladio" PRINTS
The same quality that sells for much more elsewhere.
10c YARD

Chicago Store

YOUR MONEY BUYS MORE AT THE CHICAGO STORE

SEED SEED SEED SEED SEED SEED

THE COLLIN COUNTY SEED CO.
OF McKINNEY, TEXAS, HAS

Made valuable contributions to the agricultural wealth of this county.
They were the first to introduce the famous onion plant into our county.
They were the first to sell Darso, Hegari, Sweet Clover, Lespedeza and the Certified Irish Potato.
They also introduced a long list of beans, peas, and new vegetables best adapted to our black land conditions.
They are ever on the lookout for new plants that might prove valuable in our agricultural improvement.
When in need of seed of any kind it will pay you to visit the

COLLIN COUNTY SEED CO.
McKinney, Texas

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Weekly Democrat-Gazette Classified Ads

Have Unexcelled Pulling Power

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MONEY LOANED
Automobile Loans Notes Refinanced Payments made smaller, All Loans Confidential, Quick courteous service; Fire Insurance, 1st. door South Allen's Market, McKinney, Texas. FONDY McGARR.

BUSINESS SERVICE

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT
Dress old Beck and Jude up. We can save you money on collars, lines, bridles, trace chains, back-bands, and hames. We have it. And a full stock, too! Bring us your shoes and harness for repairs. We will be glad to have you come in whether you wish to buy or not.—STAR SHOE AND HARNESS SHOP. Arch Ellis, Prop.

BARGAINS IN NEW and USED MACHINES: Sewing machines, all makes repaired reasonable. Maytag Washing Machines. Hemstitching. Phone 440.—SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO.

O. K. PRODUCE CO.—348, East Virginia street, McKinney—will pay the highest cash prices for Poultry, Eggs and Cream. Farmers and their wives cordially invited to bring same to us. CLAY COBERLY, manager.

MATTRESSES RENOVATED—One Day Service. Latest samples to select from. 14 years of satisfactory service in McKinney.—McTee Mattress Co., Phone 47.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Eight room house on West Lee street. Modern conveniences, double garage, out houses, etc.—AUSTIN MOORE.

"POULTRY"

FULL BLOOD RHODE Island Red eggs, 50c per setting. Mrs. H. R. Hall, located ½-mile west of Princeton, Texas, Route 1.

BUY YOUR CHICKS EARLY
It pays. We can sell you Pure Bred Chicks, or hatch your own eggs for you. Prices to fit your pocketbook.—Golden Glow Hatchery, McKinney, Texas. Phone 701.

SALESMEN WANTED

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes of 800 families in West Collin, Parts of Dallas, Part of Hunt Counties. Reliable hustler should start earning $25 weekly and increase rapidly. Write immediately. Rawleigh Co., Dept. TX-64-S, Memphis, Tenn.

FOR SALE

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERING of the better class. Latest samples to select from. Have had 18 years experience in the largest furniture factories. All work guaranteed. Lowest prices. Call or see MR. OSTROM, at McTee Mattress Co., Phone 47.

WANTED

WANTED: Furniture repaired, refinished, upholstered. Cabinet work and painting. Experienced workman at L. M. Smith Furniture Store. We sell for less. Phone 126.

WANTED: Will pay highest cash prices for all kinds of second-hand household furniture. H. BOON JOHNSON. Phone 238.

SEED - - PLANTS

TREES, ROSES, PLANTS, VINES, SHRUBS, BULBS: Furnish you anything needed. Tube roses, bulbs, special 40 cents dozen. Block North Post Office. McKINNEY NURSERY, Jim Lewis, Proprietor. Phone 982-J.

FOR SALE: Seed oats free of Johnson grass. Bright Bermuda grass hay. See C. R. RUSSELL. Phone 536.

NEW SEED STORE: All garden field seeds and plants. Fresh new stock. Prices right. We'll appreciate a portion of your patronage. FRANCIS SEED CO. 120 S. Tennessee street, across from Allen's.

"Can You Come at Once?"

This question came over telephone from Cleburne, Texas, and was a death call from a home 125 miles away.

"Certainly!" We assured them.

Just how it happened that we were chosen by this family who were total strangers to us, in preference to many other firms closer by, makes a very interesting story.

Sometime previous, the deceased member of this family had attended a funeral which was directed by us and she was so deeply impressed by our modern methods that she made a request that Mr. Harris be called from McKinney to direct her funeral services.

Our service is available for hundreds of miles around with the same promptness, efficiency and completeness that marks our distinguished service locally. Such as was well demonstrated in the above "true" story.

Harris Funeral Home
"In business to serve"
Phone 36

REPAIRING
Irons, Toasters, Vacuum Cleaners specialty. Housewiring, Lighting Fixtures.
LEWIS GAY
Phone 1081

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From the Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(February 24, 1909.)

Henry Bass, cashier and bookkeeper of Matthews Bros. Dry Goods establishment has returned from a two weeks visit to his mother in San Antonio.

W. H. Matthews, McKinney dry goods merchant and wife, are visiting their brother, P. C. Matthews and wife of Ennis, where they have another big dry goods store located.

The city campaign has opened up in McKinney with three candidates already announced elsewhere in this paper. They are: J. L. Doggett and Dink Meador, both for mayor, and S. T. Hammond, for Alderman, Ward No. 4.

The Edelweiss club is determined that a big public timepiece shall strike out the hours of day and night from the top of the McKinney courthouse. These ladies say that no more shall man be able to frame up an excuse for being tardy at dinner or give satisfactory explanation concerning the lateness of the lodge session. Help these ladies raise the necessary funds.

The Home Mission Society of the First Methodist church will have a new set of officers, beginning March 1, as follows; Mrs. Blanche Stiff, president; Mrs. Glen Stiff, first vice-president; Mrs. F. M. Cunyus, second vice-president; Mrs. J. D. Kirk, third vice-president; Mrs. George M. Wilson, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. W. Tiebnor, recording secretary; Mrs. Walter B. Wilson, treasurer; Mrs. T. B. Bearden, agent for "Our Home," and Mrs. George P. Brown, pianist.

RITZ

Thursday and Friday—
James Dunn, Claire Trevor in
"JIMMIE AND SALLY"

Saturday—
June Collyer and Ralph Bellamy in
"BEFORE MIDNIGHT"

Saturday Midnight—
Sunday and Monday—
Wheeler and Woolsey in
"HIPS, HIPS, HOORAY"

Tuesday and Wednesday
Laurel and Hardy in
"SONS OF THE DESERT"

AGAINST PATMAN BILL

WHEREAS, the first measure in the present Congress, introduced by Representative Wright Patman of Texas, is designed to put chain stores out of business, and

WHEREAS, two of the Southwestern states comprising this Tenth District advertising Federation of America already have seen the widespread harm resulting from punitive taxation within their own borders, and

WHEREAS, it is shown such a discriminatory measure would seriously injure the nation's farmers through the disruption of markets; would cause a dislocation of real estate and property chain store units; would add approximately one million men and women to the ranks of the unemployed, and

WHEREAS, the enactment of such legislation would increase the cost of goods to the consumer, and

WHEREAS, to destroy the chain stores would be to destroy their spending of $200,000,000 a year in advertising, at a loss of $6,200,000 in the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, and permit consequent reductions in advertising programs of many competitors who never advertised before merchandising methods began to be paced by the chain store competition; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Tenth District of the Advertising Federation of America, by action of its directors in session in Dallas, Texas on January 21, 1939, hereby goes on record as unequivocally opposed to any legislation, whether Federal, state or local, which is punitive in nature and is designed either to hamper the efficiency of or destroy the system of large distribution, which is evolved from modern progress in retailing and is in the best interests of the consumer. And that notice of this and any other actions regarding pending or proposed measures, federal, state or local, be sent to all representatives of all the political subdivisions within this four-state area. Be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that a report on this action be made to the advertising clubs making up the membership of the Tenth District, and to the various other districts and to the Advertising Federation of America, with recommendation that they take similar or supporting action.